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ARMY OF HUNTERS SEEKING TO SLAY THE BUCK DEER.

Seven Mountains Through Penns Valley Infested With Camping Parties.—Deer are Plentiful.—A List of the Parties.

The 1915 deer season commenced with the break of day yesterday (Wednesday) morning and possibly nowhere in Pennsylvania are camping parties to be found in closer touch to one another than in the Seven Mountains. Sometimes only a creek separates one crew of hunters from another and in many instances it is possible to send the human voice from one camp to another. The greatest congestion exists in the Paddy Mountain district which possibly is the best bear country in the county. Many foreign clubs are encamped there besides numerous local organizations which have for many years hunted in that region.

While some parties will undoubtedly be disappointed in making killings there is every reason to believe that the present season will be a record breaker in the number of deer killed. The condition of the woods at this time of the year is favorable to the hunter and with the likelihood of a tracking snow at any time, this year promises big opportunities for the different hunting parties.

The Reporter endeavored to collect as complete a list of the various hunting parties as was possible, and they are appended:

The Bradford party, instead of being located in Stone Creek, as mentioned last week, are on the Colyer farm in the Seven Mountains. This organization of hunters is one of the most experienced and successful in the state. This year marks the sixty-fourth season in the woods under the name of the Bradford party. While none of the original hunters are numbered in the present party, two—George W. Bradford and J. C. Kuhn—have given chase to the fleet deer for almost a half century. The latter hunter, incidentally, has a record that possibly is unequaled among nimrods who have shouldered a gun for a like time, and he is going to make a strong effort to break that record this year. Every year since the organization of the Bradford party Mr. Kuhn has failed to be numbered among the lucky shots and even when the law was more lax than it is at present and permitted the killing of does, the veteran hunter failed to down a deer. Fate has indeed been unkind to him but he has not lost heart yet and still believes that a big buck will eventually fall to his unerring aim. If the Bradfords succeed in only slaying one deer this year, may it be that "Buttsy" Kuhn has the honor. The following hunters comprise the party: G. W. Bradford, W. F. Bradford, Clyde E. Bradford, Al. Bradford, Charles H. Bradford, William M. Bradford, Philip Bradford, William Bradford, Paul E. Bradford, Carl Bradford, Maynard Meeker, John Bohn, J. H. Knarr, J. F. Smith, Corman Spicher, Guy Harshbarger, J. C. Kuhn, Lew Wallace, Charles Neff, Ed. Crawford, William Sinkabine; George Jordan, cook.

The Slack party, composed principally of local hunters, are located in Stone Creek. The following make up the party: Jerry Smith, C. W. Slack, George Slack, Fred Slack, Ed. O. Laird, W. F. Colyer, Robert Bloom, W. C. Meyer, James From, Victor Lebo, W. T. Tummons, James Luke, Victor Luke, Walter Weaver, Chester Heffner, W. Shirk.

The Olympic Club, consisting of about twenty hunters, arrived at Centre Hall on Monday morning and started for the John Venrick place, above Colyer, where they are making their headquarters.

The Spring Mills Hunting Club is located at the old Benjamin Ripka homestead in the Seven Mountains.

A party from Zion are encamped on Slate Ridge.

The "Regulars" of Potters Mills, are located at Walter Garrity's.

The Georges Valley party are located on the Summit.

The Horner party from Pleasant Gap are above Colyer.

The Pottsville and Schuylkill Haven crowd are located at Nevil's.

The Aaronsburg party in Colby's Narrows.

The Woodward Gun Club in the narrows below Woodward.

The Millheim party are located in Pine Creek Hollow.

The region about Coburn is literally alive with hunting parties, consisting of the following:

Rote-Wingard in Paddy Mountain.
Grove party in Paddy Mountain.
Philadelphia party at Snyder's.
Johnstown party at Snyder's.
Pottsville party at Stover's, Livonia.
Wingard party in Green Brier Swamp.
Daniel Knittle party from Catawissa in orchard at the junction in Poe Valley.
Skull Rangers from Schuylkill

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AUTOS IN HEAD-ON COLLISION.

C. S. Garbrick Has Leg Broken in Accident On State Road Near Bellefonte, Saturday Evening.

Two Cadillac cars met in a head-on collision on the State highway between Bellefonte and Zion on Saturday evening about seven o'clock with the result that C. S. Garbrick of near Zion, an occupant of one of the cars, is in the Bellefonte hospital with his right leg broken above the knee, and the two cars so badly damaged that they are practically beyond repair.

Mr. Garbrick and Charles Workman, of Hecla, were on their way to Bellefonte to purchase gasoline and upon reaching the tracks of the Nittany Valley railroad, caught sight of another car coming in their direction. At this point the road is somewhat narrow and Mr. Workman slowed down his car in order to make sure of passing the other car, which was driven by Andrew McNitt, without danger of striking. It is said that McNitt was running at a good rate of speed and failed to lower it upon approaching the other car. Which driver failed to turn out is not known, but there was a terrific impact when the cars came together, resulting in smashing the fronts, and putting out the lights. The cars had locked horns, as it were, and were in a death grip. The engines were damaged and gasoline was running from the breaks, making the situation hazardous indeed. A passing auto stopped and placing Mr. Garbrick aboard, hurried him to the Bellefonte hospital. McNitt was also cut by flying particles but Mr. Workman escaped uninjured.

It required the services of the big transportation bus, which passed by a short time after the accident on its way from Lock Haven to Bellefonte, to pull the cars apart.

Rebersburg Native Dies in Freeport, Ill.

Ira J. Walker died at his home in Freeport, Illinois, Thursday, November 18th, of infirmities due to old age. He was born in Rebersburg December 12, 1841, hence was almost seventy-five years of age. He was married to Anna M. Peck and at the age of twenty-five years he and his wife moved to Freeport where they took up farming, continuing that work for a quarter of a century.

Mr. Walker leaves his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Annie Epley, of Freeport. He is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: Wilson T. Walker, of Dakota, Ill.; Thomas Walker and Mrs. Amanda Kessler, of Rebersburg; Mrs. Magdalene Garhoff, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Emma J. Von Nads, of Hershey.

Burial was made in the west.

Killed Four Nice Hogs.

About the largest porkers that have come to the attention of this paper so far this season are those which G. M. Cooney of near Colyer butchered one day last week. Four hogs produced 1305 pounds of choice meat, their individual weights being 347, 325, 323 and 310 pounds. The butchering season being just in its prime, there no doubt are others who can quote big figures. Mr. Cooney would like to hear from some one who can beat his figures.

SOME MORE HOGS.

Alvin Stump, who devotes his time to gathering cream and eggs for the Patrons Co-operative Creamery Company, comes along as a record smasher for big hogs for the 1915 season. He killed three Chesterwhite hogs that weighed just 1309 pounds, the individual weights being 400, 446, and 463 pounds, respectively.

In a recent issue of the Daily Local News of West Chester, a list of more than one thousand students enrolled in the normal school at that place was published. Three are from Centre county, as follows: Mary E. Bartges, Sarah L. Fisher, and Ruth N. Smith, all of Spring Mills.

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Haven in Lingle's orchard in Poe Valley.

Krader party on Green Brier Knob.

In the mountains about Boalsburg the following are encamped:

Riley party, Bear Meadows.
Raymond party, Bear Meadows.
Modoc party, Stone Creek.
Reitz party, Reitz's Gap; not camping, but making daily chases.
Sweetwood party, Sand Spring.
Foster party, Hubler's Gap.
Young party, Laurel Run.
Fillmore party, Shutt's Improvement.
Keeler party, Bear Meadows.
Copenhaven party, Cold Spring.
Weizel party, Sinking Creek.
Fredericksburg party, at the Corner.
Youngwood party, Laurel Run.
Toner Club, in Detwiler.
State College Club, Shingletown.
Mothersbaugh party, Stone Creek.
Coatesville party, Bear Meadows.
Buffalo Run party, Shutt's Improvement.

How You Can Aid the Rural Mail Service.

There are many ways in which patrons on Rural Free Delivery Mail Routes can aid the service with no additional expense to themselves. Much of the waste of time, the inability to deliver mail of all classes, and especially packages, is due to the thoughtlessness of the customers of Uncle Sam's great mail service.

The purpose of this department of the Reporter is to bring to the attention of the Rural Free Delivery Mail Route patrons the benefits derived, first to the patrons themselves, and second to the general Post Office Department, from observing more scrupulously the rules and regulations as laid down by the Post Office Department.

No one can guess how often the common custom of placing pennies in the Rural Mail Box for postage has caused the carrier to get to his destination too late for the outgoing mail. It is permissable to put money in Rural Mail boxes, (Section 782, Postal Laws and Regulation), provided it is wrapped or placed in a coin-holding receptacle. To avoid the least loss of time, patrons should buy postage stamps and keep them on hand so that when a letter is to be mailed it can be properly stamped.

Just presume that a carrier has two hundred boxes on his route and that on account of digging into a box for two coppers, or making change for a single stamp, a half minute is lost! The result would be a loss of one-hundred minutes, or one and two-third hours! That half minute you obliged the carrier to lose unnecessarily may delay all the mail for one or two days, just depending on circumstances.

Now, it wouldn't be a hardship to buy twenty-five, fifty, or one dollar's worth of stamps at a time, would it?

Did you ever think of it before what a great benefit it would be to every one on a Rural Free Delivery Mail Route if every patron "licked" his own stamp from a little supply kept on hand.

One of the things the Post Office Department encourages is the purchasing on the part of patrons of Postal Money Orders, and for the reason that the fee is so small and that it is next to impossible to lose the cash invested.

Carriers issue from five to ten and more Postal Money Orders on each trip. It requires from five to eight minutes to get all the forms filled out for each order. Presuming there are but five orders and the time consumed is but five minutes, you will see twenty-five minutes of the carrier's time gone to the bad.

How can this time be saved? Quite easily, and to much better satisfaction to the patron.

Next time you see the carrier ask him for a Postal Money Order Application, and take it home with you. When you want a Postal Money Order fill out the blank application, and take the ready change to the carrier. On the back of the order you will see the schedule of fees. After reading the application anyone can fill it in correctly.

The Post Office Department expects every patron to fill in his own application blank, and present the ready change, but the custom is for the carrier to do it while the patron stands by. The carrier gladly does this, but while he is using his time doing so, the railroad train is speeding on, and the result is—the carrier's mail does not go out until the next day, and all because the patrons on the Rural Free Delivery Route asked the carrier to perform a service that should have been done by the patrons.

And here you have it again, the patrons on the Rural Free Delivery Mail Routes are too often themselves responsible for tardy mail delivery, and yet the carrier is blamed and Post Office Department cursed.

Apples, Some Car Loads.

The apple crop throughout Penns Valley was not a big one, the orchards having bore only in spots. There were various sections like the community about Potters Mills, that orchards did not yield enough for local consumption. Yet when the whole apple yield is summed up in bushels, the quantity is much larger than one thinks who has not made an estimate upon a ground foundation.

The apple crop about Centre Hall and for some miles in all directions is handled almost exclusively by the Centre Hall Evaporating Company. And it is fortunate for growers that this institution is in existence, for were it not for these local shippers thousands upon thousands of bushels of apples in this valley would rot for want of market at any price. Before the Centre Hall Evaporating Company was established all the apples of the grade used for evaporating were a dead loss to the growers, there being absolutely no market for them. This season many thousands of bushels of them were purchased and evaporated, and it is possible that it was done at a loss to the company. It is about the same with the better grade of apples. Prior to the organization of this company hand-picked apples could be sold in bulk only when it happened that there was a general shortage in the market, but since the evaporating company began business a market is hunted every year, and so far all of the crop fit for shipping has been handled. This is not the condition everywhere. A Union county farmer left the information here that sixty cents per hundred weight was the best price offered him and that many farmers could not sell at any price, so it is seen that a local dealer can create a market where the individual would fail.

This season this company shipped twelve or fourteen car loads of apples, averaging from four to five hundred bushels to the car. These were all hand-picked apples.

State to Buy Millersville Normal.

Negotiations have been opened by the state board of education for purchase by the commonwealth of a controlling interest in the Millersville State Normal School.

This is one of a half dozen which the board has been authorized to acquire so that the state shall have full title. The papers in the proceedings for purchase of the Clarion and Slippery Rock schools are now in the hands of the attorney general.

Frank D. Lee of near Zion was in town on Monday and made a business call at this office.

Letter from Chicago.

A friend once made this remark to me, "A person need not go far from home to find a difference in ways, habits, and customs of people," so I thought a few lines of things seen on our trip westward might prove interesting to your readers. Our first stop was Johnstown, often called the Flood City. This is a third class city of some eighty thousand inhabitants and is governed by councilmen elected under the non-partisan ballot law, all city officers being elected under that law. All the papers of both parties lived uprightly to that law, and refused to do any electioneering for any candidates. Why couldn't Centre county papers have done the same? Johnstown is a great city for organizations. Some of the most prominent bodies are the Associated Charities, which assists the poor and unemployed; the Board of Commerce, which booms the town; Parent-Teacher's Associations, which look out for the welfare of the public schools; Personal Worker's League, which looks after the spiritual interests of people; Young Men's and Young Women's Associations, which provide swimming pools, gymnastics, and many other kinds of social amusements designed to keep young people off the streets, and from drinking, and other immoral places. Billiards and pool tables, and bowling or ten-pin alleys are some of the amusements afforded the young men who frequent the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Besides these different organizations there are innumerable fraternities and social clubs. Another organization I almost forgot to mention is the Recreation Commission which provides gymnastic exercises and other amusements for the school children. Some of the Cottage Billy Sunday prayer-meetings are still in existence, meeting weekly, however, instead of daily.

Monday, 22nd inst., found us on our way to Chicago, alias the Windy, and sometimes called the White City in remembrance of the world's fair held here in 1892-3. Chicago is too big a city to describe much of it in one letter, but will say that Thanksgiving Day was observed in a very quiet and orderly manner.

Hoping your readers won't get tired reading this letter, I will close.

Yours truly,
W. A. KRISE.

The charge of unnecessary roughness has been made against the State College football team in their game with Pitt, on Thanksgiving Day, and the latter school threatens to drop State from its schedule if the rough tactics are employed next year.

LETTER FROM CALIFORNIA.

A Trip to Camp Baldy, a Popular California Resort, Described by Former Resident of Linden Hall.

A highly interesting letter was received by the Reporter from Mrs. David B. Kline, who will be better known as Ellen E. Ross, formerly of Linden Hall, but now residing in Los Angeles, California. The letter beautifully describes a trip to Camp Baldy, California, the sunny southland of olives, snow and fragrant flowers. The letter in full follows:

Camp Baldy, California.

We are spending a week here as the guests of our son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Smither, and it will give me untold pleasure if I can in the smallest way give your many readers a faint idea of its sublime grandeur. Towering mountains hem us in on all sides; their rock ribbed sides saying plainly, "no human foot has ever broken the solitude of my inaccessible precipitous sides."

Camp Baldy is about 50 miles north of Los Angeles and easily reached by coming to Upland or Ontario by steam cars, trolley, or auto, the latter being best as you make Camp without stop or fatigue. We came by steam cars to Upland, then we took a street car to San Antonia Heights. The cars run for four miles through a row of beautiful pepper trees with an auto road on each side. At terminus of car line we were met by the camp auto. All the way up, a ride of eight (8) miles, was through dark canyons with a wild mountainous stream sometimes on one side of the road, then on the other. The health giving tang of the mountains (by which we are completely surrounded) comes to your nostrils and you throw out your chest, lift up your head and avaunt—at least ten of your years and all of your troubles. We passed through many dells, more dark, cool and mossy than those in your own beautiful Seven Mountains, and still we kept climbing.

Here the Sierra Madra mountain range is much broken, each peak having its own peculiar shape and name. We reached camp a happy crowd, already for the fine six o'clock dinner. Words fail me in an attempt to describe our present surroundings. Sufficient to say, God planned and decorated it and when finished I know He said, "Well done."

A madly rushing, ice cold stream, talkative, ever full of futile noises, babbles incessantly in front of our cottage door, and as we go to sleep lulled by its babblings, it seems to say as it swirles past, "Sleep swee', you'll see me in the morning."

This popular resort, 7,000 feet above sea level, has but one hotel, but it can easily accommodate four hundred in its dining room at one time. Everything about the hotel, rest room and dancing pavillion, is in harmony with its surroundings. The tables are always decorated with wild flowers; the dining room has a frieze of large pine cones lighted up by bright red berries and with the green ones of mistletoe. In these mountains no tall trees grow except in the canyons. I saw one in Bear Canyon, called "Old Glory," which measured five feet and seven inches in diameter and twenty-three (23) feet and five (5) inches in circumference.

The trail to Mount San Antonia (mostly called Old Baldy) is through Bear Canyon. The gentlemen of our party made the trip in one day. They left camp at 4 a. m., with the lunch bags, and their canteens filled with water slung across their shoulders, as there is no water after leaving Bear Flats, 4 miles from camp. Mr. Kline said it was up, up hill and then some more up hill. They reached the summit about noon, 8 miles from camp, but on account of the intense cold they only remained long enough to admire the superb view of mountains, plains, cities and sea, and then were glad to seek a cleft in the rocks to rest before their return of 8 miles to camp, which they reached about 5 p. m., as weary and foot sore a party as I ever saw, but all said it was worth the toil.

I am glad to say Camp Baldy is a temperance resort, no liquor of any kind being allowed in camp. On Sabbath evening the dancing pavillion is dark and everybody is invited to the rest room to enjoy a service of song. This camp is much like our old fashioned camp meeting grounds. The tents, of which there are over two hundred, are built of boards with canvass tops. All are large, clean and comfortable; most all have running water. Both Fairs are in full swing, and our city is now filled with visitors from all parts of the world, and we hope some of our Centre county friends will visit us, as well as some of the Centre Reporter staff. Call at 340 East Jefferson Street, Los Angeles. The latch string is always out. We certainly enjoy the weekly visit of your valuable paper. Sincerely,

MRS. DAVID B. KLINE.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Next holiday—Christmas.

Emmett Brooks killed a wild turkey on the mountain below town, on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Altoona spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Rachel Miller, in this place.

Mrs. J. A. Kreamer and little daughter of State College were guests for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Moore, near Old Fort.

Mrs. J. C. Harper and daughter, Miss Helen Harper, of Bellefonte, spent a few days last week at the home of the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. G. H. Emerick.

One of the things everybody had reason to be thankful for on Thanksgiving day was the beautiful day it fell on. It was one of the most delightful days of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. L. Bartholomew and little daughter of Altoona enjoyed their Thanksgiving Day dinner at the home of Mr. Bartholomew's brother, Chas. D. Bartholomew, and family.

Miss Bertha Miller of Tusseyville taught the grammar grade in the borough schools on Tuesday and Wednesday in the absence of the regular teacher, Elmer Miller, her brother, who went to Philadelphia, where he attended a meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

John Bohn of Phoenixville and Corman Spicher of Philadelphia, both former Penns Valley residents, have laid aside work and are enjoying the two weeks deer season with the Bradford hunting party. The former is a tiller of the soil and the latter a mail carrier.

While handling bales of straw, a week ago, Howard E. Grove, farmer across the valley, fell and received rather painful injuries. The accident was occasioned by the hay hook tearing its way through the straw which caused Mr. Grove to fall.

Ephraim Fisher, who resided alone in a small house on the top of Sugar Mountain, not far from Howard, was found dead sitting in a chair one evening last week. His neighbors had not seen him for several days and entered his house to investigate when they found the spark of life had vanished.

A short time ago Walter Garrity, the lord of the Garrity region in Seven Mountains, had the misfortune to fall and in doing so dislocated one of the hip bones. Mr. Garrity thought he had torn several ligaments, but on being "exercised" by Dr. Longwell, it was seen that his gait resembled too strongly the turkey trot to be caused by any other injury than a dislocated hip bone. A few violent jerks and twists of the limb by the local surgeon, during which time Mr. Garrity was spurting out words peculiarly his own and fitting to the occasion, brought the bones in their proper position and almost instantly relieved the patient of the great pain he had endured from the time of the accident.

Nature fakers who every once in a while come forward with some story woven out of the imagination and which attempts to accuse some harmless creature of a deed by nature impossible, are subject to harsh criticism by State Zoologist H. A. Surface. Last week a story emanating from Lewistown came to his attention in which a little green snake was said to have bitten a woman, resulting in the woman's arm swelling to twice its natural size from the poison injected into her system and making her condition extremely serious. Prof. Surface quickly responded in defense of the innocent snake and showed that besides being perfectly harmless and possessing no poison, the green snake is a friend of mankind by its killing the snails and insects that damage garden truck. Will Prof. Surface cry "fake" when he hears of the full-grown wild rabbit which a common house cat in Centre Hall caught after a few big jumps in the open? Whether he does or not the story is true, nevertheless. While it is generally known that cats prey upon rabbits, one was never known to give chase to a fleeing cottontail. On Wednesday William Kerlin, junior member of the firm of Kerlin's Grand View Poultry Farm, started to work on exterminating the rats that infest the chicken houses on the farm and enlisted the aid of old tabby. When the young poultryman attempted to raid a rat nest under one of the houses he accidentally stirred a big bunny from its quarters which darted across the field with the swiftness of the wind. Kitty happened to be close by and started in hot pursuit. Instead of chasing the rabbit by running the cat made a few big leaps and landed on the rabbit's back. When Kerlin reached the pair the bunny was kicking its last.

THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Nov. 29, 1914.

Allies captured important positions near Ypres.

Montenegrins defeated Austrians in Bosnia.

Russians split German army and defeated relief column at Gombin.

German aviators bombarded Lodz.

Princes Abbas and Osman banished from Egypt for anti-British conspiracy.

Germany paid $37,500 indemnity to Luxemburg.

Nov. 30, 1914.

Three big battles were fought in Poland.

Russians captured ten miles of German trenches near Lowicz, but failed in attack on Darkehmen.

Russians won successes in the Carpathians and Galicia.

British ships again bombarded Zeebrugge.

Germans were expelled from Petrograd for raising funds for warships.

Dec. 1, 1914.

Germans prepared for new dash toward the sea in West.

Battle on the Yser was renewed.

Germans broke Russian wing near Lodz, capturing 12,000 prisoners.

Russians seized German ammunition barges on the Vistula.

Serbians captured 1,500 Austrians on River Djid.

Premier Rushdi Pasha of Egypt declared for Britain.

Dec. 2, 1914.

British, re-enforced, took over command of the Yser region.

Austrians took Belgrade.

Russians won at Szczercow and entered Wieliczka.

Montenegrins repulsed Austrians.

Hungarian chamber of deputies voted war bills.

Prince of Wales fund reached $20,000,000.

Dec. 3, 1914.

Germans took offensive in Flanders but lost heavily trying to cross the Yser on rafts.

French occupied Le Mesnil.

Tete de Faux in the Vosges and Burnhaupt in Alsace taken by the French.

Germans attempted to flank Russian right wing.

Austrians repulsed assaults on Przemysl.

Russians took Bartfeld.

Riots in Belgian concentration camps.

Italian parliament opened. Premier Salandra saying Italy would preserve armed neutrality; Belgium was cheered.

Dec. 4, 1914.

Allies made repeated attacks on German line in Flanders.

Russians won a victory at Lodz.

Allies landed troops in Montenegro.

France called youths eighteen years old for military examination.

Mohammedan soldiers from Tunis sent to fight in army of allies.

Turkey proclaimed holy war against Serbia and her allies; rioting in many towns.

American students at Oxford took up relief work in Belgium.

Dec. 5, 1914.

Allied aviators bombarded Baden.

Italian chamber of deputies passed vote of confidence in government.

British steamer Batiscan sailed from America with food for Belgians.

French made gains in Alsace and attacked Germans at St. Mihiel.

Germans in Poland, re-enforced, formed new battle line and moved on Piotrkow.

Dickens Drew From Life.

Smike, Charles Dickens' character in Nicholas Nickleby, seems to have been drawn from the life. Said the author in a letter apropos of that novel: "The rascality of those Yorkshire schoolmasters cannot be easily exaggerated. I have kept down strong truth and thrown as much comicality over it as I could rather than disgust the weary reader with its fouler aspects."

Case of Hating Oneself.

Proprietor of a Concert Party (engaging a soprano)—"Now, I want you to understand, Miss Deerly, that I like my boys and girls to be one big family—no quarreling, no jealousy." Miss Deerly—"Oh, that's quite all right. I've never heard anything in the work of any other singer to give me the slightest cause for jealousy."

Fool's Paradise.

Originally, in Christian mythology, a region "near the abode of the blessed," but not a part of it, a sort of borderland, "where dwelt the praiseless and the blameless dead." Today used to denote the mental condition of those who, by their vain hopes, are "fooling" themselves.

Stretching Steel.

By the modern process of spinning metal thread it is possible to make a single pound of steel stretch a distance of 70 miles.

RUSSIANS MAKE READY TO STRIKE

Massing of Big Force on Bulgarian Frontier.

MORE TEUTONS ON WAY

Serbians Driven Back To Border. Probable Retirement Of French Troops Also Indicated By Dispatches.

London.—The Serbian main army having been driven back to the borders of Albania and Montenegro, where they are being attacked by the Austro-Germans, the Bulgarians, with the assistance of General von Gallwitz's forces, are now giving their attention to the Anglo-French troops. Important military developments may, therefore, be looked for on the Varda river.

The Bulgars appear to have abandoned definitely for the time being their advance on Monastir in order to attack the French positions on the Cerna, where fighting has already been reported.

Eyes Now On Russians.

So far the French have held their positions, but dispatches from Saloniki hint that it may be necessary to withdraw from Krivolak to the southwest, where British-French reinforcements are being concentrated. While the results of these movements are being watched with some anxiety, news comes from the northern frontier of Bulgaria, where a big Russian army is massing.

It is reported that Gen. Alexei Kuropatkin is to command this Russian army of invasion, which will either be sent up the Danube or allowed passage through Roumania to attack Varna from the land side. Other Russian forces are being concentrated at Odessa and Sebastopol and will doubtless be sent either to the Bulgarian or Turkish coast.

More Teutons On Way.

It is reported from Switzerland that the Austro-Germans are sending reinforcements into the Balkans to meet this new Russian offensive, but other sources state that the reinforcements are en route to the western front because of the fact that the Balkan campaign is having a direct effect on all fronts.

In Galicia, the Austro-Germans are attacking in the hope of compelling the Russians to divert a part of the Bessarabian army thence.

While the Austrians opposing the Italian offensive on the Isonzo are unable to get assistance, they are counter-attacking with terrific fury and have thus far prevented the Italians from capturing Gorizia, which had been hard pressed for nearly a week.

The Turks are showing more activity in the Gallipoli Peninsula, where, with new supplies of ammunition, they made an attack on the Allies' positions without, however, making any gains.

PEACE TELEGRAMS PILE UP.

Over 20,000, Inspired By the Ford Move, Reach White House.

Washington.—The deluge of peace telegrams to President Wilson from American women, inspired by Henry Ford and the Woman's Peace Party, reached its height at the White House Thursday.

The clerical force of the executive offices was taxed to the utmost. It was learned that more than 20,000 messages were received in the last two days. Mrs. Brand Whitlock, wife of the American Minister to Belgium, was one of those who sent telegrams. Nearly all the messages followed the form suggested by Miss Jane Addams —"Work for peace. The mothers of America pray for it."

The White House is silent on the subject of the telegraphic peace bombardment.

MAKING CARRANZA MONEY.

$250,000,000 In Currency Being Printed In New York.

Vera Cruz.—Mexican currency to the value of $250,000,000 is being printed in New York for the Carranza Government and will be put in circulation on a basis of equal exchange for the currency now in use in Carranza territory as soon as it arrives here. Plans for the creation of a new national bank issue of currency to replace the existing bank notes have been completed and will be published soon. The specie reserve at present on hand will be utilized as security. It is declared that the banks at present have plenty of specie for this purpose.

BRITAIN GETS $50,000,000 MORE.

Secured By Government Bonds and To Run Six Months.

New York.—The committee of bankers which recently was organized to perfect an additional British commercial credit announced that a six months' loan for $50,000,000 bearing 4½ per cent. interest and secured by £11,000,000 British Government bonds had been arranged. The bonds are to be deposited in the Bank of England by the borrowers, who represent eight of London's most prominent institutions.

ANOTHER MYSTERY

LISTEN TO PAPA! GO RIGHT TO BED HEAR ME? PAPA'LL GET 'TH' STRAP
GOODNESS GRACIOUS! WHAT ARE YOU DOIN' UP? MY GOODNESS, CHILD
CHRISTMAS LIST

TROOPERS FIRE ON MEXICAN INVADERS

Kill a Number and Capture a Wounded Prisoner.

BELONGED TO VILLA'S ARMY

The Mexicans Had Been Hurling Insults Across the Border and Dared the Americans To Fight.

Nogales, Ariz.—Fifty-eight Mexican soldiers, crossing into the United States at Harrison's ranch, east of here, fired on six American troopers of the Tenth Cavalry. Twenty-five other troopers of the Tenth Cavalry who were on reserve post opened fire on the Mexicans, killing a number, according to report, and bringing one wounded prisoner into camp.

A number of Villa troopers just across the line hurled insults at United States soldiers and dared them to fight. Feeling had run high in the Mexican town all day over the reported refusal of United States customs officials to allow foodstuffs to cross the boundary into Mexico, and this feeling was intensified by the report later that General Obregon was advancing on the American side against Nogales, Sonora.

The answer to the Villa troopers' actions was a prompt order resulting in a barrier of United States soldiers being thrown along the line, barring passage to all in either direction.

Sentiment among Villa adherents is apparently growing against Americans. The military authorities on this side of the boundary were unusually vigilant.

Vicente Terrazas, a civil official of Nogales, Senora, was executed by order of General Acosta, for having exceeded his authority in ordering the death of a Mexican who participated in the riots in the Mexican town.

Douglas, Ariz.—Two batteries of the first battalion, Sixth United States Field Artillery, with 800 rounds of high explosive shells, were despatched by train for Nogales. Lieutenant Colonel W. L. Keanelly is in command.

Washington.—Dispatches to the State Department said that General Obregon, Carranza commander, had sent word to all the mining companies in the State of Sonora, Mexico, that they can safely resume business. This was taken here to indicate that Villa's power in that state has been broken.

Navy Department advices said the trouble at Topolobampo, on the west coast of Mexico, was caused by "half-breeds," attached to neither the Carranza nor Villa factions.

CITY RAISING $100,000.

Philadelphia Has $40,000 For Next Republican Convention.

Philadelphia.—A whirlwind campaign to raise a fund of $100,000 required to bring the Republican National Convention to this city in 1916 was begun by the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce. According to the announcement of the secretary of that organization, Napoleon B. Kelly, $40,000 of the amount has been pledged and there is practical assurances that this will be increased to $60,000 by the end of this week.

WOULD MAKE NATION "DRY."

Sheppard and Webb To Reintroduce Bill In Congress.

Washington.—Senator Morris Sheppard, of Texas, will reintroduce the national prohibition amendment in the Senate, and Representative E. Y. Webb, of North Carolina, probably will offer the same proposition in the House of Representatives. There has been no conference of the prohibition forces in Congress; neither is the exact strength of the proposed amendment known.

CAPTAIN BOY-ED ACCUSED IN COURT

Attorney Wood Says He Has Ridden Roughshod Over U. S. Laws.

$750,000 FROM GERMANY

Prosecution Refuses To Accept Concession, Preferring To Prove Charges By Testimony—Intent To Defraud Government Denied.

New York.—In the alleged conspiracy of several Hamburg-American Steamship Line officials to deceive and defraud the United States by sending neutral relief ships with coal and other supplies to German men-of-war in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans at the beginning of the European war Captain K. Boy-Ed, German naval attache, with headquarters at the German Embassy in Washington, played a leading role, according to witnesses who testified in the Federal court here.

One of these witnesses swore that Captain Boy-Ed personally directed the expenditure of approximately $750,000 which, unsolicited and unexpected, had been deposited to the witnesses' credit in a New York banking house early in September, 1914. Of this money, the witness testified, $350,000 was telegraphed to the Neveda National Bank at San Francisco in one lump sum, $213,000 was paid in several amounts to the North German Lloyd Steamship Line here, about $75,000 to the Hamburg-American Line here and by cable money order in Hamburg and some of the remainder was still on hand. All of these disbursements, this witness asserted, were made by order by Captain Boy-Ed.

German Importer Chief Witness.

This witness, Gustave B. Kulenkampff, a German importer and exporter, with offices here, and others testified in the trial of Dr. Karl Buenz, Adolph Hackmeister, George Koetter and Joseph Poeppinghausen, all officials of the Hamburg-American Line, who are charged with conspiracy in having directed the loading and dispatching of 16 vessels to the relief of a half dozen or more German warships isolated from supplies in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.

The testimony, which virtually opened the Government's case, followed a short address to the jury by Roger B. Wood, Assistant United States District Attorney, in which Mr. Wood said that the Government would show that "the defendants rode roughshod over the laws and treaties of the United States as contemptuously as if those laws and treaties had been mere scraps of paper."

Prosecution Rejects Concessions.

William Rand, counsel for the defendants, offered to concede certain charges of the Government, involving 12 steamers, and in his concession admitted that Dr. Buenz and his associates had sent out the vessels as charged to meet German warships in the Atlantic and deliver their supplies. Mr. Rand said that in sending these vessels his clients were acting on legitimate orders which came to them by cable from the home office of the company in Hamburg. But the Government lawyers rejected the concession and sought to prove their case out of the mouths of witnesses.

"The defense is not willing to admit the facts; it is trying to smother them," was Mr. Woods' retort to Mr. Rand's offer.

"Quite the contrary," replied Mr. Rand smilingly. "We are willing to admit that $750,000 has been spent as the Government is trying so hard to prove. Why, we are willing to go much further than that—we will admit that $2,000,000 of German money was spent in chartering and supplying vessels for relief of German warships."

"And how much more?" asked Mr. Wood.

"That is all I know of," was the reply; "but, admitting the facts, we do not admit the intent to deceive or defraud, as charged in the indictment."

REVOLT OF ARABS NIPPED IN BUD

Turkey Reports Execution of 11 Plotters a Beirut.

THE SULTAN BLAMES BRITAIN

Embassy Declares Secret Society Planned Dismemberment Of Turkey and Formation Of New State Under Great Britain.

Washington.—Execution at Beirut of 11 members of an Egyptian secret society, which, it is claimed, had for its object the dismemberment of Turkey and the creation of an independent Arabian state under the protectorate of Great Britain, was announced here by the Turkish Embassy. The members of the society, the embassy alleges, planned to assassinate high officials and many other prominent people.

The text of the announcement follows:

"The Ottoman government having been informed of the existence in Egypt, with branches in Syria and Irsk, of a secret society whose aim is the creating of an independent Arabian state under Great Britain's protectorate, ordered a most thorough inquiry be made. The purpose of this was to discover who were the promoters of this society, the object of which under the instigation of a hostile power, was the dismemberment of Turkey, notwithstanding the strong ties which bind all Arabs to the mother country.

"This inquiry, conducted with the utmost care and earnest desire of finding out the truth, brought out the most undeniable proof of the existence of this society. The aim of the conspiracy was to create disturbances in the country by committing criminal acts, such as the assassination of high dignitaries, as well as a great number of prominent people, and thus attain its unlawful ends.

"The unearthing of important documents having been the means of discovering the promoters of the conspiracy, several arrests took place and the matter was brought before the court-martial in Beirut. This case was tried with all due precaution. The culpability of the accused having been established, some of the traitors, most of whom by default, were sentenced to death in virtue of article 54 of the Ottoman Criminal Code.

"Out of the 13 culprits sentenced, and who were actually arrested, 11 were executed in Beirut and two were pardoned by the Sultan on account of their age.

"The government has already published in Syria a part of the compromising documents in its possession and it intends shortly to publish in their entirety the photographic reproduction of the whole discovered correspondence."

KAISER APPEALS TO TROOPS.

Wants Them To "Send the Enemies Back With Bloody Heads."

London.—According to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company, the Kaiser, recently inspecting the army of General von Woyrsch, addressed the soldiers and asked them to "send the enemies back with bloody heads until they are on their knees, which I promise will be soon."

TO NORWAY FOR CHRISTMAS.

250 Western Farmers Stop In Washington On Way East.

Washington.—Two hundred and fifty Norwegian farmers from Iowa, Minnesota and other Western States, their pockets bulging with money from the sale of their wheat, are in Washington preliminary to sailing from New York for Norway, where they will spend Christmas.

WINTER SETTLES ON VOSGES.

Heavy Snowfall Causes Lull Along West Front.

Paris.—Winter has set in along the fighting line in the mountains of France. A snowfall in the Vosges is reported in the communication from the War Office which reads as follows: "In the Vosges snow fell heavily, especially in the region of the Fecht and Thur rivers."

KILLED IN TEXAS STORM.

Ten-Minute Tornado Does Much Damage In Houston.

Houston, Texas.—One man is dead, several persons are injured and several warehouses and sheds are in ruins, the result of a storm that struck Houston. It lasted only 10 minutes. Many persons were struck by flying debris and several were seriously injured.

KAISER'S CASTLE ROOF TAKEN.

Copper To Be Used In Manufacturing Munitions.

Basel, Switzerland, via Paris.—The copper roof is being taken from the Imperial castle at Donaueschingen, Germany, and will be used in the manufacture of munitions of war. This roof weighs many tons.

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SYNOPSIS.

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At a vestry meeting of the Market Square church Gail Sargent listens to discussion about the sale of the church tenements to Edward E. Allison, local traction king, and when asked her opinion of the church by Rev. Smith Boyd, says it is apparently a lucrative business enterprise. Allison takes Gail riding in his motor car. When he suggests he is entitled to rest on the laurels of his achievements, she asks the disturbing question: "Why?" Gail finds cold disapproval in the eyes of Rev. Smith Boyd. At a bobsled party Allison tells Jim Sargent that his new ambition is to conquer the world. He starts a campaign for consolidation and control of the entire transportation system of the world. Gail becomes popular. Allison gains control of transcontinental traffic and arranges to absorb the Vedder court tenement property of Market Square church. Gail tells Boyd that the cathedral Market Square church proposes to build will be out of profits wrung from squalor. At a meeting of the seven financial magnates of the country, Allison organizes the International Transportation company. Rev. Smith Boyd undertakes Gail's spiritual instruction and Gail unconsciously gives Allison a hint that solves the Vedder court problem for him. She goes on an inspection trip in Allison's new subway.

CHAPTER XII—Continued.

Out in the open, where the sun paled the electric lights of the car into sickly yellow, up into the air, peering into third-story tenements and down narrow alleys, aflutter with countless flapping pieces of laundry work, then suddenly into the darkness of the tunnel again, then out, on the surface of country fields, and dreary winter landscape, to the terminal. It was more cozy in the tunnel, and they returned there for lunch.

Suddenly there came a dull, muffled report, like the distant firing of a cannon; then an interval of silence, an infinitesimal one, in which the car ran smoothly on, and, half rising, they looked at each other in startled questioning. Then, all at once, came a stupendous roar, as if the world had split asunder, a jolting and perking, a headlong stoppage, a clattering, and slapping and crashing and grinding, deafening in its volume, and with it all, darkness; blackness so intense that it seemed almost palpable to the touch!

There was a single shriek, and a nervous laugh verging on hysteria. The shriek was from Arly, and the laugh from Lucile. There was a cry from the forward end of the car, as of someone in pain. A man's yell of fright; Greggory the general manager. A strong hand clutched Gail's in the darkness, firm, reassuring. The rector.

"Don't move!" It was the voice of Allison, crisp, harsh, commanding.

"Anybody hurt?" Tim Corman, the voice of age, but otherwise steady.

"It's me," called Tom, the motorman. "Head cut a little, arm bruised. Nothing bad."

"Gail?" Allison again.

"Yes." Clear voiced, with the courage which has no sex.

"Mrs. Teasdale? Mrs. Fosland? Ted? Doctor Boyd?" and so through the list. Everybody safe.

"It is an accidental blast," said the voice of Allison. He had figured that a concise statement of just what had happened might expedite organization. "We are below the Farmount ridge, over a hundred feet deep, and the tube has caved in on us. There must be no waste of exertion. Don't move until I find what electrical dangers there are."

A match flared up, and showed the pale face of the engineer bending over.

"No matches," ordered Allison. "We may need the oxygen."

He and the engineer made their way back into the parlor compartment. They took up the door of the motor well in the floor, and in a few minutes they replaced it. From the sounds they seemed remarkably clumsy.

"That much is lucky," commented Allison. "The next thing is to dig."

"In front or behind?" wondered the engineer.

"In front," decided Allison. "The explosion came from that direction, and has probably shaken down more of the soil there than behind, but it's solid clay in the rear, and further out."

Gail felt the rector's hand suddenly leave her own. It had been wonderfully comforting there in the dark; so firm and warm and steady. He had not talked much to her, just a few reassuring words, in that low, melodious voice, which thrilled her as did occasionally the touch of Allison's hand, as did the eyes of Dick Rodley. But she had received more strength from the voice of Allison. He was big, Allison, a power, a force, a spirit of command. She began, for the first time, to comprehend his magnitude.

"What have we to dig with?" The voice of Rev. Smith Boyd, and there was a note of eagerness in it.

"The benches up in front here," yelled McCarthy, and there was a ripping sound as he tore the seat from one of them.

"Pardon me." It was the voice of the rector, up in front.

"The balance of you sit down, and keep rested," ordered Allison, now also up in front. "McCarthy, Boyd and I go first."

The long struggle began. The girls grouped together in the back of the car, moving but very little, for there was much broken glass about. Up in front the three men could be heard making an opening into the debris through the forward windows. They talked a great deal, at first, strong, capable voices. They were interfering with each other, then helping, combining their strength to move heavy stones and the like, then they were silent, working independently, or in effective unison.

Tim Corman was the possessor of a phosphorescent-faced watch, with 22 jewels on the inside and a ruby on the winding stem, and he constituted himself timekeeper.

"Thirty minutes," he called out. "Its our shift."

The men crawled in from outside, but they stayed in the front compartment. The air was growing a trifle close, and they breathed heavily.

"Good-by, girl," called the gayly funereal voice of Ted Teasdale. "Husband is going to work."

Another interminable wait, while the air grew more stifling. There was no further levity after Lincoln and the motorman and McCarthy had come back; for the condition was becoming serious. Some air must undoubtedly be finding its way to the car through the loose debris, but the carbonic acid gas exhaled from a dozen pairs of lungs was beginning to pocket, and the opening ahead, though steadily pushing forward, displayed no signs of lessening solidity.

They established shorter shifts now; a quarter of an hour. The men came silently in and out, and as silently worked, and as silently rested, while the girls carried that heavy burden of women's hardest labor; waiting!

Greggory was the first to give out, then the injured motorman. When their turns came, they had not the strength nor the air in their lungs. Strong McCarthy was the next to join them.

The shifts had reduced to two, of two men each, by now; Ted and old Tim, and Allison and the rector; and these latter two worked double time. Their lips and their tongues were parched and cracking, and in their periods of rest they sat motionlessly facing each other, with a wheeze in the drawing of their breath. Their stentorian breathing could be heard from the forward end of their little tunnel clear back into the car, where the three girls were battling to preserve their senses against the poisonous gases which were now all that they had to breathe. Acting on the rector's advice, they had stood up in the car to escape the gradually rising level of the carbonic gas, stood, as the time progressed, with their mouths agape and their breasts heaving and sharp pains in their lungs at every breath. Arly dropped, silently crumpling to the floor; then, a few minutes later, Lucile, and, panic-stricken by the thought that they had gone under, Gail felt her own senses reeling, when suddenly, looking ahead through eyes which were staring, she saw a crack of blessed light!

There was a hoarse cry from ahead! The crack of light widened. Another one appeared, some four feet to the right of it, and Gail already fancied that she could feel a freshening of the air she breathed with such tearing pain. Against the light of the openings, two figures, the only two which were left to work, strove, at first with the slow, limp motions of exhaustion, and then with the renewed vigor of approaching triumph. She could distinguish them clearly now, by the light which streamed in, the stocky, strong figure of Allison and the tall, sinewy figure of the rector. They were working frantically, Allison with his coat off, and the rector with his coat and vest both removed, and one sleeve torn almost entirely from his shirt, revealing his swelling biceps, and a long, red scratch. Gail's senses were numbed, so that they were reduced to almost merely optical consciousness, so that she saw things photographically; but, even in her numbness, she realized that what she had thought a trace of weakness in the rector, was only the grace which had rounded his strength.

The two figures bent inward toward each other. There was a moment of mighty straining, and then the whole center between the two cracks rolled away. A huge boulder had barred the path, and its removal let down a rush of pure, fresh air from the ground above, let down, too, a flood of dazzling light; and in the curving, underrim of the opening, stood the two stalwart men who were the survival of the fittest! The mere instinct of self-preservation drove Gail forward, with a cry, toward the source of that life-giving air, and she scrambled through the window and ran toward the two men. They came hurriedly down to meet her, and each gave her a hand.

CHAPTER XIII.

Gail Dodges the Spotlight.

Immediately after Gail had reached home from the accident in the subway, and had been put to bed and given tea, and had repeatedly assured the doctor there was nothing the matter with her, they brought, at her urgent request, copies of the "extras," which were already being yelled from every street corner and down every quiet residence block.

The accounts were, in the main, more or less accurate, barring the fact that they started with the assumption that there had been one hundred in Allison's party, all killed. Later issues, however, regretfully reduced the number of dead to forty, six, and finally none, at which point they became more or less coherent, and gave an exact list of the people who were there, the cause of the accident, and a most appreciatively accentuated history of the heroic work of the men. Although she regretted that her picture had by this time crept into the public prints, grouped with the murders and defalcations of the day, she was able to overlook this personal discomfort as one of the minor penalties which civilization has paid for its progress, like electric light bugs and electric fan neuralgia, and the smell of gasoline.

In the meantime, the representatives of the gay and care-free and absolutely uncurbed metropolitan press, were by no means discouraged by the fact that they had not been able to secure much, except hectic imaginings from the exterior of the Sargent house. They were busy in every other possible direction, with the same commendable persistence which we observe in an ant to drag a grasshopper up and down a cornstalk on the way home.

Little Miss Piper of the Morning Planet, a somewhat withered and puckered little woman, who had sense enough to dress so as to excite nothing but pity, quietly slipped on her ugly little bonnet with the funny ribbon bow in the back, and hurried out to the magnificent residence of Mrs. Phyllis Worthmore, who loathed publicity and had photographs taken once a month for the purpose.

The result of that light-hearted and light-headed interview, in which Mrs. Phyllis Worthmore, by special request, was not quoted, suddenly sprang on the startled eyes of Gail, when she leaped through the Sunday Morning Planet at eight o'clock next morning. An entire page, embellished in the center with a beautifully printed photograph, was devoted to the sensational beauty from the middle West! Around her were grouped nine smaller photographs: Allison, Dick Rodley, Willis Cunningham, Houston Van Ploon, Rev. Smith Boyd, a sallow youth who had danced with her three times, a count who had said "How do you do?" and sailed for Europe, and two men whom she had never met. All these crack eligibles were classified under the general head of "Slaves to Her Witching Smile," and a big, boxed-in list was given, in extremely black-faced type, stating, in dollars and cents, the exact value in the matrimonial market of each slave; and the lively genius who had put together this symposium, by a toweringly happy thought conceived in the very height of the rush hours, totaled the whole, and gave it as the commercial worth of Gail's beauty and charm. It ran into thirteen figures, including the dollar mark and the two ciphers for cents.

When Lucile Teasdale and Arly Fosland arrived at Jim Sargent's house at ten o'clock, and had been let in at the side entrance, they found Gail dabbing her eyes with a powder puff, taken from a little black traveling bag which stood open at her side. Arlene was a second later than Lucile in clasping Gail in her arms, because she had to lift a traveling veil. The two girls expressed their condolence and their horror of the outrage, and volubly poured out more sympathy; then they sat down and shrieked with laughter.

"It's too awful for words!" gasped Lucile. "But it is funny, too."

Gail's chin quivered.

"There should be a law against such things," she broken-heartedly returned, in a voice which wavered and halted with the echoes of recent sobs.

"I'll put the Planet out of business!" stormed Jim Sargent, stalking up and down the library, with his fists clenched and his face purple. "I'll bankrupt them!" and he paused, as he passed, to reassuringly pat the shoulder of poor Aunt Grace, who sat perfectly numb holding one thumb until the bone ached.

"The press is the palladium of our national liberty, Uncle Jim," drawled the soothing voice of Ted.

"You can't do a thing about it," counseled Gerald Fosland, a stiff-looking gentleman who never made a mistake of speech, or manner, or attire.

"Shucks, Gail!" suddenly remembered Lucile. "The Big Faulkner reception is this week, and your gown was to be so stunning. Don't go home!"

Mrs. Helen Davies cast on her feather-brained daughter a glance of severe reproof.

"Have you no sense of propriety, Lucile?" she warned. "Gail, very naturally, cannot remain here under the circumstances. It does great credit to her that, immediately upon realizing this horrible occurrence, she telegraphed to her mother, without consulting any of us, that she was returning."

"I just wanted to go home," said Gail, her chin quivering and her pretty throat tremulous with breath pent from sobbing.

"It'll blow over, Gail," argued Uncle Jim, in deep distress because she was going so soon. If she had only stopped long enough to pack up, they might have persuaded her to stay. "Just forget it, and have a good time."

"Jim," ordered the stern voice of Aunt Helen, "will you be kind enough to see if anyone is out in front?"

"Certainly," agreed Jim, wondering why his wife's sister was suddenly so severe with him.

"It's time to start," called Ted with practiced wisdom allowing ten minutes for good-bys, parting instructions and forgotten messages.

The adieus were said. Aunt Grace, clasping Gail in her arms, began to sob, out of a full heart and a general need for the exercise. Gerald Fosland took the hand of his wife and kissed it, in most gallant fashion.

"I shall miss you dreadfully, my dear," he stated.

"I shall be thinking of you," responded Arlene, adjusting her veil.

Mrs. Davies drew Arlene into the drawing room.

"It was so sweet of you to agree to accompany Gail," she observed. "It would be useless to attempt to influence her now, but I look to you to bring her back in a week. Her prospects are really too brilliant to be interrupted by an unfortunate episode of this nature."

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One could readily see that no deviation from his routine confronted Gerald Fosland this morning. He had had his plunge and his breakfast, his mail and his paper laid before him, and yet there was something ghastly about the feel of the house. It was as if someone were dead! Gerald Fosland made as radical a deviation from his daily life as he ever had done. He left his mail unopened, after a glance at the postmark; he left his paper unread; he picked up his hat and gloves and stick, and started to leave the room. As he passed the door leading to Arly's apartments, he hesitated, and put his hand on the knob. He glanced over his shoulder, as a guilty conscience made him imagine that a servant was coming in, then he gently turned the knob, and entered. A tiny vestibule, and then a little French-gray salon, and then a boudoir, all in delicate blue, and sweet with a faint, delicate, evasive fragrance which was like the passing of Arly. Something made him stand, for a moment, with a trace of feeling which came to awe. He did not notice, until afterwards, that he had tiptoed.

Greggory Was the First to Give Out.

He went on to the dainty blue bedroom, and looked earnestly about it, then he went back to the boudoir and seated himself on the stiff chair in which he had, on rare occasions, sat and chatted with her. He remained there perhaps half an hour. Suddenly he arose, and called for his limousine, and drove to Teasdale's. They were out, he was told. They were at Mr Sargent's, and he drove straight there. Somehow, he was glad that, since they were out, they had gone to Sargent's. He was most anxious to see Lucile.

"Just in time to join the mourners, Gerald," greeted Ted. "We're doing a very solemn lot of Gailing."

"I'll join you with pleasure," agreed Gerald, feeling more at home and light of heart here than he had anywhere during the day. Lucile seemed particularly near to him. "Have you any intimation that Gail expects to return soon?"

"None at all," stated Aunt Helen, with a queer mixture of somberness and impatience. "She only writes about what a busy time they are having, and how delightfully eager her friends have been about her, and how popular Arly is, and such things as that."

"Arly is popular everywhere," stated Gerald, and Lucile looked at him wonderingly, turning her head very slowly towards him.

"What do you hear from Arly?" she inquired, holding up her hand as if to shield her eyes from the fire, and studying him curiously from that shadow.

"Much the same," he answered; "except that she mentions Gail's popularity instead of her own. She had her maid send her another trunkful of clothing, I believe," and he fell to gazing into the fireplace.

"I am very much disappointed in Arly," worried Aunt Helen. "I sent Arly specifically to bring Gail back in a week, and they have been gone nine days!"

"I'm glad they're having a good time," observed Jim Sargent. "She'll come back when she gets ready. The New York pull is something which hits you in the middle of the night and makes you get up and pack."

"Yes, but the season will soon be over," worried Aunt Helen. "Gail's presence here at this time is so important that I do not see how she can neglect it. It may affect her entire future life. A second season is never so full of opportunities as the first one."

"Oh, nonsense," laughed Jim. "You're a fanatic on matchmaking, Helen. What you really mean is that Gail should make a choice out of the matrimonial market before it has all been picked over."

Lucile watched Gerald with intense interest. She could scarcely believe the startling idea which had popped into her head! Gerald's only apparent deviation from his normal attitude had consisted in abstractedly staring into the fire, instead of paying polite attention to everyone.

"You scare me," said Lucile, still watching Gerald. "I'm not going to leave Gail out there any longer. I'm going to have her back at once."

Gerald raised his head immediately, and smiled at her.

"Splendid," he approved. "Fact of the matter is," and he hesitated an instant, "I'm becoming extremely lonesome."

Even Ted detected something in Gerald's tone and in his face.

"It's time you were waking up," he bluntly commented. "I should think you would be lonely without Arly."

"Yes, isn't it time," agreed Gerald, studying the matter carefully. "You know, both having plenty of leisure, there's never been any occasion for us to travel separately before, and, really, I miss her dreadfully."

"I think I'll have to get her for you, Gerald," promised Lucile, removing her hand from in front of her eyes, and smiling at him reassuringly. She could smile beautifully just now. The incredible thing she had thought she detected was positively true, and it made her excitedly happy! Gerald Fosland had been in love with his wife, and had never known it until now!

"If you can work that miracle, and bring Gail back with her, you'll spread sunshine all over the place," declared Jim Sargent. "It's been like a funeral here since she went home. You'd think Gail was the most important section of New York. Everybody's blue—Allison, Doctor Boyd; everybody who knew her inquires, with long faces, when she's coming back!"

"What do you propose?" inquired Mrs. Helen Davies, with a degree of interest which intimated that she was quite ready to take any part in the conspiracy.

"I have my little plan," laughed Lucile. "I'm going to send her an absolutely irresistible reminder of New York!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Kill Nerves to Cure Neuralgia.

Severe neuralgia can be cured by injecting alcohol into the nerves, but the cost is terrible, for the price is the death of the nerve, with paralysis as the result.

Such, in brief, is the conclusion which Dr. Williams B. Cadwalader reports to the Journal of the American Medical association after experiments made at the Laboratory of Neuropathology of the University of Pennsylvania.

The alcohol kills not only the nerves of sensation, but the motor nerves as well. In a nerve like the sciatic this would be serious. For the nerve may remain paralyzed for a year after the injection of the alcohol.

In trifacial neuralgia, which is caused by a purely sensory nerve, this action is of little importance. The cure is not permanent, however, but affords freedom from pain for several months, perhaps as much as a year. The nerves regenerate just as they do when severed.

The Unwelcome Truth.

"Miss Braddon, the English novelist," said a publisher, "made $500,000 out of her books, her publisher's share being $1,500,000.

"Miss Braddon's great success, she once told me, was due to her avoidance in her books of truth. Truth, she said, is the one thing the average novel reader doesn't want. For truth, you see, is unpleasant.

"She illustrated her point by a wife who asked her husband:

"'George, how do you like the new shade I've had my hair done?"

"'Well, my dear,' George began, 'to tell you the truth—'

"'Stop right there, George,' his wife interrupted. 'Stop right where you are. When you begin like that I don't want to hear you.'" — Washington Star.

An Almanac Monopoly.

The sale of almanacs was once a lucrative monopoly. Queen Elizabeth granted the sole right to publish "almanacs and prognostications" to the Stationers' company, and James I extended the privilege to the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, but for centuries only these three bodies were permitted to issue printed calendars. The monopoly ended when the claim of the king to the privilege of granting or withholding permission to issue calendars—a survival, perhaps, from days when kings asserted their right to regulate all things, including even the times and seasons—was definitely disproved and proclaimed nonexistent. Now anybody can say who's who anywhere.—London Chronicle.

A Practical Thought.

"Do you know," said the amateur astronomer, "that it takes the light of certain stars millions of years to reach the earth?"

"Why no," answered the ordinary citizen. "I hadn't heard of that, but since you mention it, I'm glad we have an arc light on our corner."

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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Reformed—Union, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

United Evangelical—Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon; Tusseyville evening.

Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.

The announcement of the death of Rev. W. H. Schuyler, Pb. D., struck deep into the hearts of every resident in Centre Hall, where he labored for many years, not only in the interest of the Presbyterian church, but for the best interests of the town in promoting and encouraging every movement that tended toward moral, spiritual and intellectual betterment. His was a life of unselfish devotion to his Master's cause, and he has gone to his reward.

LOCALS

Mrs. Rebecca Scholl is visiting relatives in Lemont.

Leroy Rearick of Jersey Shore, from Friday until Saturday, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Rearick, and sister, in this place.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the J. C. Rossman home Saturday, December 4, instead of the regular time, owing to important business to be transacted. Members please take notice.

Robert Ronald MacKay, Jr., is at No. 4657 Spruce street, Philadelphia He is about ten days old, and is a grandson of the surgeon, Dr. McCluney Radcliff, well known here.

Perry Krise of Pleasant Gap was a caller at this office on Tuesday, being on his way to join the "Regulars" of Potters Mills, with whom he has hunted for deer for a dozen or more years.

Dr. P. H. Dale of State College on Tuesday motored to Centre Hall and took home with him his mother, Mrs. Kate Dale, and aunt, Miss Mollie Hofer, who will spend the winter months with him.

The county W. C. T. U. has decided to publish the names of persons signing liquor license petitions this year, in the county papers. Names may be withdrawn from petitions by making request to the Court.

Misses Marcia Lovett and Mary Laws, both seniors at the Pennsylvania State College, accompanied Miss Sarah Neff, a classmate, to the home of the latter's parents, Prof. and Mrs. C. B. Neff, west of town, where they enjoyed the Thanksgiving season.

Reports of some party or parties dynamiting the old dam in Greens Valley for fish has come to the ears of Forester Leonard Barnes and he is making an effort to apprehend the guilty ones. Dynamite and caps were discovered hidden under a stump near the water's edge last week, but how recent the unlawful act was done is problematical.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morris of Redonda Beach, California, are in the east and no doubt will come to Centre Hall, the childhood scene of Mrs. Morris, who before marriage was Miss Lottie Miller, daughter of Rev. J. K. Miller, before returning to the Pacific coast. Mr. Morris is a druggist, a native of Loganton, and did business in Millheim and Duncannon before going to the far west.

One of the Reporter's callers on Thanksgiving day was E. C. Harter, of Spring Mills, who announces sale of his entire farm stock and implements on March 22. Mr. Harter began farming on the Harter farm the spring of 1887, and now thinks twenty-eight years of business on the farm enough. He has not yet decided where he will locate, but thinks Centre Hall a mighty nice town. Frank Ripka of Spring Mills will succeed him on the farm.

The initial move in Centre county to encourage public speaking among scholars in the public schools is due to the activity of R. U. Wasson of Coburn, who a few years ago spent considerable time and energy in getting up a series of contests. Had this movement been looked upon more favorably by the county officials connected with the public schools, by this time Centre county would have a well organized plan and no doubt would have well developed speakers ready to enter the contests under the plans proposed and published in a recent issue of the Reporter, which are very similar to Prof. Wasson's ideas.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Mary Ann Zerby, wife of Henry Zerby, died at her home in the Seven Mountains, south of Spring Mills, on Tuesday afternoon of last week, following a protracted illness with gangrene of the foot and leg. Funeral services were held Friday morning and burial made in the Mountain cemetery, Rev. John Price of the United Evangelical church officiating. Mrs. Zerby's age was seventy years, seven months and twenty-three days. Surviving her are two children, Mrs. George Brian, east of Centre Hall, and James Zerby of North Dakota; also three sisters, Mrs. Samuel Ripka, of Millheim, and two others living in Altoona and Lewisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ishler of near Boalsburg are mourning the death of their little daughter, Susanna Ishler, aged four years and seven months, which occurred Thursday noon after an illness of several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, ending finally in pneumonia. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon and burial at Boalsburg, Rev. S. C. Stover officiating. The parents, two brothers and four sisters mourn the little one's departure.

James William Noll, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David Noll, died at the parental home near Pleasant Gap, Thursday, after a brief illness with tonsilitis, aged two years and seven months. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon and burial at Pleasant Gap. F. V. Goodhart of Centre Hall was the funeral director.

John R. McMullen died on Saturday morning in Lewistown, at the age of eighty-two years. He was the father of Mrs. Roland Fye of near Tusseyville, by a former marriage, his second wife and five children also surviving.

Millheim.

Miss Nannie Brown did some shopping in Bellefonte last Friday.

W. S. Shelton transacted business in Philadelphia Monday and Tuesday.

J. Russel Gephart is breaking ground for his new building on Main street.

Lester Musser arrived home last week from a business trip to some of the western cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Schreckengost of Jeanette are visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Guy Stover of Pittsburgh is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Motz.

Mrs. Samuel Weaver and children of Boalsburg spent a few days here last week at the home of her mother.

Messrs. David Mazur and Alfred Ehrlich of New York City are guests at the home of A. Kessler.

Mrs. Thomas Buck of Berwick visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Zerby, over Thanksgiving.

Clyde Hartman, one of State College's tonsorial artists, is spending a few weeks with his parents in this place.

Harry Hartman, wife and children, of State College, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Hartman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geary of Newport, old time residents of Millheim, are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. N. A. Auman.

Miss Sara Kessler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kessler, who is a teacher in the commercial department in one of the schools at Elizabethville, is home for a few days.

Prof. O'Donnell of State College and Grover Musser of this place spent a few days last week hunting in Pine Creek Hollow. Together the bagged a dozen pheasants; also reporting good signs of plenty of big game.

Tuesday morning the Millheim hunting party left for their camp in Pine Creek Hollow, all anxiously awaiting the break of another day when they will be at the chase. Owing to the great demand for ammunition in the old world some of the boys had trouble getting shells for their rifles.

BEAUTIFUL THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

The union Thanksgiving service in the Lutheran church on Thursday afternoon was above the ordinary and a rare treat for those present. The choir and quartette represented the different churches of Millheim; the sermon was commented on favorably by many. The order of service follows:

Anthem, "O Give Thanks Unto the Lord."
Scripture Lesson.....Rev. M. D. Geesey
Prayer.....Rev. W. H. Williams
Sextette, "O Be Joyful."
Messrs. Frank, Smith, Springer, Rishel, Stover and Musser.
Proclamation by President to Give Thanks.....
.....Rev. W. H. Brown
Anthem, "O Be Glorious."
Sermon on Being Thankful.....Rev. Donat
Mixed Quartette, "Lift Your Eyes unto the Hills."
Misses Musser and Smith, Messrs. Duck and Smith.
Collection lifted for the benefit of Bellefonte Hospital.
"America,"—by entire congregation.
Benediction.....Rev. Donat

County Grange officers will hold a meeting in Grange Arcadia Saturday morning. All members are invited to be present.

BOALSBURG.

Mrs. Edward Hunter is visiting friends in Altoona.

Miss Annie Lohr spent Sunday with relatives in Centre Hall.

Miss Mary Carper of Linden Hall is visiting at the William Patterson home.

Edward Fussey of Tyrone was a guest at the William Goheen home over Sunday.

Professor C. K. Lehman spent a few days with his parents in Lancaster county.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rowe are visiting relatives in Greensburg and Altoona.

William Patterson and daughter Frances spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mothersbaugh visited their daughter, Mrs. Reuben Stuart, at Pittsburgh.

Miss Sarah J. Keller has gone to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Hall.

The Civic Club will hold their meeting Friday evening, December 3, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Hazel.

Fred Ishler, who is attending school at Altoona, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Ishler.

Mrs. Edward Cunningham and daughter of Bellefonte visited the Elmer Houtz home over Sunday.

James I. Ross and daughter, Anna, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown and George Fisher autoed to Lewistown on Saturday.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society will hold their Thank Offering service Sunday evening in the Lutheran church.

Mrs. M. A. Woods and daughter Rose attended the funeral of Mrs. Wood's son, Samuel, at Titusville, on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Magoffin returned to her home Friday afternoon, from a trip to Philadelphia, where she had gone for treatment for her eyes.

Miss Katie Burkholder and nephew, Maurice Burkholder, of Centre Hill, were guests at the J. H. Meyer home on Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Wagner attended the golden wedding of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Showalter, at Forrest Hill, Union county, last week. While there she attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Showalter's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ishler, Thomas Fishburn and sister, Mrs. Cormar, and Mrs. Adam Zeigler, of State College, and Mrs. Clyde Fishburn of the Branch, were among the relatives from a distance who attended the funeral of Susanna Ishler on Saturday afternoon.

Pine Grove Mills

George Irvin had a good mare die Thursday while driving on the pike.

Prof. E. C. Musser of Bellefonte was home for the Thanksgiving dinner.

John I. Thompson of Lemont spent Sunday in town.

The I. O. O. F. hall is being wired for electric lights.

D. B. Thomas is busy demonstrating the Franklin car for which he is agent.

Harry Houser is arranging to leave for the west about Christmas time.

The band realized more than $75.00 at their festival on Thanksgiving Day.

Tony Glen is being congratulated on the arrival of a little daughter, Friday. It is No. 1 in this happy home.

Amos Koch of Aaronsburg spent Thanksgiving with his son, George, at Fairbrook.

Ed. Woomer is running a new Saxon car for which he has the agency in three counties.

W. E. Stover of Pittsburgh spent Thanksgiving among old friends and with his mother at State College.

Miss Bell McWilliam spent last week with her two brothers at Johnstown.

The venerable William Stamm of Altoona spent last week with friends at Rock Springs.

F. E. Wieland, the bustling feed agent at Linden Hall, loaded several carloads of hay here last week.

Miss Bell Woomer, one of Blair county's successful school teachers, was here for Thanksgiving dinner at the Woomer home.

Hon. Leonard Rhone and daughter, Miss Florence, spent Monday at State College, in the interest of the State Grange meeting to be held there.

The R. R. station at Oak Hall is being enlarged and repaired to accommodate the increased traffic, all because of the low traffic.

S. I. Corl accompanied his father, Peter Corl, to the German hospital, Saturday, where the elder Corl is taking X-ray treatment, which is proving successful.

Mrs. David Campbell, who has been ill the past year or more, is sinking rapidly and but little hopes are entertained by the family and the attending physician for her recovery.

Leslie Gates of West Virginia was here last week looking over the old stamping grounds, the place of his birth. He is now making good as a mining engineer down in Dixey land.

Farmer Elmer Sunday, while hauling corn fodder fell from the loft and alighted on his left shoulder, fracturing the collar bone. The fracture was adjusted and Elmer is getting along nicely single handed.

Rev. Illingsworth has been filling the pulpits of three churches since last spring very satisfactorily. His religion seems to be thoroughly interwoven in his makeup so that pastor and people are united in the work in the Master's vineyard.

Reporter Register.

Jacob F. Musser, Penns Cave
Clarence Musser, Penns Cave
Gertrude Dresher, State College
Helen Webb, Selinsgrove
Mary Reighard, Selinsgrove
Mattie McCool, Selinsgrove
W. A. Krimmel, Pine Grove
J. K. Bitner, Centre Hall
J. B. Spangler, Tusseyville
Perry Krise, Pleasant Gap
John Tate, Pleasant Gap
S. B. Myerley, Watsontown
Penn G. Hasting, Watsontown

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the Honorable Ellis L. Orvis, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the Forty-ninth Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date the 23rd day of October, 1915, to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Orphans Court, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the

FIRST MONDAY OF DECEMBER,

being the 6th day of December, 1915, and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen, and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 6th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done and those who are bound in recognizances, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand at Bellefonte, the 23rd day of October, in the year of our Lord, 1915, and the one hundred and thirty-ninth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

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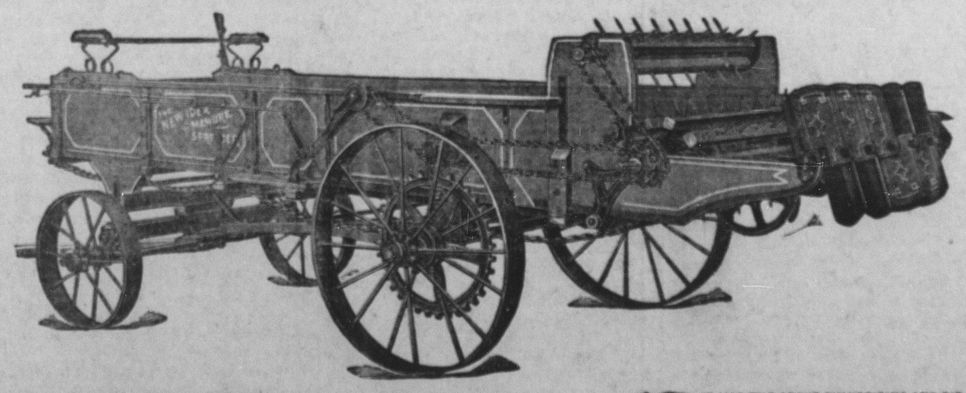

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DR. SCHUYLER IS DEAD.

Local Presbyterian Minister Passed Away at Clinton, New York, Wednesday Morning.—Body Will Arrive Here This (Thursday) Afternoon.

Rev. W. H. Schuyler, Ph. D., is dead.

A telegram carrying this sad intelligence was received by Dr. Schuyler's sister, Mrs. T. W. Simkins, in Centre Hall, on Wednesday morning. No definite time of his demise was given but it is supposed that death came early Wednesday morning.

For the past several months Dr. Schuyler had been in Clinton, New York, with the hope of recovering his shattered health which was the result of very hard study and overwork. Intestinal indigestion was followed by blood poisoning, and while his condition was rather serious at times, a report to the effect that he was improving with bright prospects of recovery, was received last week. His daughter who had been with him for the greater part of the time left on Tuesday, feeling that her father's condition was the best since the inception of his illness.

The corpse will arrive in Centre Hall this (Thursday) afternoon and burial will take place on Friday morning, interment in the local cemetery.

Train Kills Farmer's Cows.

The west bound freight on Monday evening struck and killed two cows and a heifer belonging to Harry E. Fye, who farms the Goodling farm, west of Centre Hall. The cows broke through the fence and wandered onto the railroad track. The railroad company will be obliged to reimburse Mr. Fye for his loss.

LOCALS

Court convenes next week.

J. B. Spangler of Tusseyville was a business caller at this office Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. S. J. Smull of Altoona is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Smetzler.

Mrs. George B. Crawford of Jackson Center, Mercer county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. H. Meyer, in this place.

Prof. L. O. Packer, teacher in Pittsburgh's schools, was home with his family over the Thanksgiving season.

Mrs. H. H. Longwell returned on Thursday from a six weeks' visit to the home of her parents in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meyer of Reedsville spent the week end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Meyer.

L. L. Smith, accompanied by Samuel Fredericks of Farmers Mills, made an auto trip to York on Thursday afternoon, returning home on Saturday.

To the merchant who is saying to the public, "Do your Christmas shopping early," the latter replies, "Advertise your goods; tell us what you have."

Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Jones and daughter of Spring Mills spent a few days last week with the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Jones, in this place.

At a meeting of Millheim borough council, the body reconsidered the proposition to erect a municipal electric light plant and postponed the matter indefinitely.

H. L. Morgan of Philipsburg has been appointed honorary vice president of the Fireman's Association of Pennsylvania, by President Eugene C. Bonnwell, for Centre county.

Mrs. Lucy Henney, son Wilbur, and grandson Ralph, and Mrs. Flora Vonads, were an auto party that traveled to New Bloomfield on Saturday where they spent a day at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. James E. Stewart.

A hunting club from the eastern part of the state who shipped their hunting paraphernalia in advance to the local depot had lots of "ammunition" to load up on, shipping the same in large kegs, securely held together with iron hoops.

The Reporter was greatly pleased to receive a fraternal call from Penn G. Hastings, general manager of the Milton Evening Standard, on Tuesday evening. Mr. Hastings is a young man of forceful character, with good business acumen, and a real live wire. He is also connected with the Watsontown Shoe Company and it was in their interest that he was in town the evening mentioned.

While on their way home from State College last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith and daughter Louise, who were traveling in a buggy, were struck by a seven-passenger automobile, driven by Prof. T. C. Blandell, a member of the faculty of the Pennsylvania State College. The shafts on the buggy were smashed, requiring a new set before the journey home could be continued. The accident occurred at Centre Furnace and was the result of the tight quarters occasioned by the buggy, automobile and a car standing by the roadside being in line when the two moving vehicles met. No injuries were sustained by the occupants of the buggy but the mother and child were considerably frightened. The driver of the car gave his name and address and promised to reimburse Mr. Smith for the damages sustained.

INTEREST GROWING IN COMING STATE GRANGE MEETING.

Several Hundred Have Already Registered to be Present at State College, December 21st to 24th.

Interest in the convening of the Pennsylvania State Grange, to be held at State College, December 21st to 24th, is rapidly increasing. Several hundred persons have already registered, signifying their intention to be present, and daily the list continues to grow. While the program is not yet complete the speakers for the first two days have been announced. On Tuesday, December 21st, John J. McSparren, Master of the State Grange, will deliver his annual address at a public meeting in the Auditorium. Tuesday night Dr. E. E. Sparks, Prof. Watts, J. J. McSparren and Prof. C. R. Neff will speak, the latter giving the address of welcome on behalf of the County Grange.

On Wednesday afternoon the Centre County Pomona Grange will confer the fifth degree.

Candidates File Expense Accounts.

Up until Wednesday noon all save four candidates at the recent election had filed their expense accounts with Prothonotary D. R. Foreman. Today (Thursday) is the last day for attending to the matter, according to law. The amount of money expended by those candidates who have filed their accounts, whose expenditures exceeded fifty dollars, follows: H. C. Quigley, $1696.64; David Chambers, $600; Francis Speer, $510; D. R. Foreman, $412.45; James E. Harter, $390; Ira Burkett, $327; George Yarnell, $320; Frank Sasserman, $228; W. H. Brown, $235; J. F. Smith, $220.80; W. H. Noll, $203.08; D. A. Grove, $169.23; James Furst, $143; Isaac Miller, $96.75.

The Republican County Committee expended $2207.50, while the Democratic County Committee expended $2600.

Lewistown Woman a Suicide.

Mrs. A. F. Grashmeyer, forty years old, ended her life Wednesday of last week when she leaped from the Walnut street, Lewistown, bridge into the Kishacoquillas creek.

The body was recovered after a short search, clad only in a nightgown. A rope about her waist was attached to an eight-pound brick.

She had been in ill health for some time.

Special Program by Progress Grange.

Progress Grange will meet in their hall Saturday afternoon. A special program has been prepared in commemoration of the forty-seventh anniversary of the organization of the National Grange, Saturday being the date upon which the anniversary falls.

Marriage Licenses.

Louis H. Brown, York
Lillian Williams, Bellefonte

John S. Auman, Millheim
Leoda Decker, State College

Henderson-Cole.

Wednesday noon of last week Wallace Henderson of Spruce Creek and Miss Mary Cole of Roaring Springs were united in marriage by Rev. W. K. Harnish at the Presbyterian parsonage in Pine Grove Mills.

Spring Mills.

The new condensary is being built rapidly.

Renna Wagner spent vacation week at State College.

Mrs. Susan Ruhl is visiting her son-in-law, Willis Rishel, at Montgomery.

Clair Allison of Renovo was home between trains on Thanksgiving day.

R. G. Kennelly has been seriously ill, and is not improving much at this writing.

Edwin Winters and family of State College were visitors over Thanksgiving.

William Sones, who is working near Lock Haven, is home for the hunting season.

Eugene Gramley of State College spent Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gramley.

Clarence Musser of Chambersburg, and Burchfield and William Musser of Altoona are spending a few days at the R. D. Musser home.

Georges Valley

From last week.

Arthur Gill spent Sunday with Jasper Lingle.

G. V. Fredericks has his saw mills set up and is busy sawing every day for S. U. Decker.

Mrs. Susan Davis spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Morris Lingle; also helped to butcher while there.

Miss Carrie Barger returned to State College on Saturday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barger.

Because of the great rush of orders in the mills at the Burnham steel plant, men are unable to get board in Lewistown for "love nor money." Hotels long closed are being reopened. This is the greatest era of industrial prosperity the town has ever experienced.

Rev. F. H. Foss is conducting revival services in the United Evangelical church near Tusseyville.

DECEMBER COURT JURORS.

GRAND JURORS.

W. W. Bramen, chemist, State College
Paul A. Brown, operator, Bellefonte
Calvin Corl farmer, Spring Twp.
Harry Cramer, blacksmith, Snow Shoe
P. E. Grinoble, plumber, Ferguson Twp.
Edgar Gentzell, laborer, Huston Twp.
Simon Harpster, laborer, Worth Twp.
J. B. Harris, farmer, Walker Twp.
Wm. B. Henderson, laborer, Howard Boro.
John A. Kelley, barber, Snow Shoe Twp.
Clarence Lucas, laborer, Snow Shoe Twp.
Orvis Lee, laborer, Benner Twp.
E. N. Leathers, mechanic, Howard Twp.
Wilbur Miles, clerk, Milesburg Boro.
John Q. Miles, retired, Huston Twp.
J. L Mattern, farmer, Patton Twp.
John McDonald, laborer, Huston Twp.
A. P. Reece, farmer, Boggs Twp
Hainer Sankey, clerk, Philipsburg
William Slee, ins. agent, Philipsburg
A. B. Tanyer, carpenter, State College
M. G. Walker, farmer, Half Moon Twp.
Geo. B. Winters, farmer, Miles Twp.
Henry Wingard, laborer, Haines Twp

TRAVERSE JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

W. E. Bool, collector, Snow Shoe
John Beals, merchant, Philipsburg.
Wilbur Burkholder, agent, Bellefonte
Harry Bower, farmer, Haines Twp.
William Conser, agent, Rush Twp.
J. A. Crow, farmer, Walker Twp.
Jerome Confer, laborer, Snow Shoe
Philip Freeze, miner, Snow Shoe Twp.
Frank Fields, laborer, Patton Twp.
George Gentzell, gentleman, Gregg Twp
Claud Getle, clerk, Philipsburg
O. C. Harvey, baker, State College Boro
J. W. Hartsock, farmer, Patton Twp
W. P. Hosterman, laborer, Gregg Twp.
Z. W. Hoy, farmer, Marion Twp
John Hoy laborer, Snow Shoe Tw .
George Harranish, miner, Snow Shoe Twp.
Doyle H. Hoy, laborer, Walker Twp.
George Ishler, butcher, Potter Twp.
Chas. Kuhn, cigar maker, Philipsburg
J. L. Kerstetter, gentleman, Spring Twp.
Abednigo Laird, farmer, Worth Twp.
W. P. Lingle, laborer, Gregg Twp.
L. R. Lingle, farmer, Potter Twp.
S. T. Miller, farmer, Miles Twp.
Clifton Meek, clerk, Snow Shoe Twp.
John Millen, butcher, Philipsburg
Sol Poorman, laborer, Spring Twp.
J. Orvis Peters, farmer, Half Moon Twp.
Chas Pifer, laborer, Howard Boro.
N. E. Robb, clerk, State College
J. B. Ralston, laborer, State College
John W. Reifsnyder, miller, Harris Twp
David Riming, laborer, Spring Twp.
J. B. Rockey, farmer, Patton Twp.
W. V. Schenck, clerk, Howard Boro.
U. R. Smith, farmer, Potter Twp.
James W. Swabb, farmer, Harris Twp.
Albert Stover, carpenter, Liberty Twp
J. W. Silvas, farmer, Half Moon Twp.
W. A. Schenck, farmer, Liberty Twp.
Samuel E. Troy, clerk, Rush Twp.
M. S. Vonada, laborer, Penn Twp.
Howard Wells, carpenter, Spring Twp.
Samuel Wayne, miner, Rush Twp.
Lawrer Williams, engineer, Rush Twp.
Johnson Warner, farmer, Union Twp.
George Fravel, collector, Snow Shoe

TRAVERSE JURORS—SECOND WEEK.

Augustus Armor, farmer, Spring Twp.
Joseph Bitner, farmer, Gregg Twp.
Joseph Brugger, farmer, Unionville
W. J. Carlin, merchant, Miles twp.
Chas. G. Daley, farmer, Union Twp.
W. C. From, clerk, State College
Michael Hefferson, miner, Rush Twp.
D. F. Houser, farmer, Benner Twp.
C. W. Hartman, moulder, Millheim
Clyde Jordon, merchant, Bellefonte
John Kimport, farmer, Harris Twp.
William Kehoe, carpenter, Rush Twp
Joseph Kirk, carpenter, Philipsburg
S. H. Lohr, farmer, Snow Shoe Twp.
E. W. Motz, laborer, Haines Twp.
James M. Moyer, inn keeper, Potter Twp.
D. W. Musser, farmer, Haines Twp.
John C. Martin, clerk, Spring Twp.
Chas. Miller, farmer, Rush Twp.
William McGowan, moulder, Benner Twp.
Lawrence Nugeret, merchant, Rush Twp.
L. D. Orndorf, merchant, Haines Twp.
D. L. Reasce, clerk, State College
Joseph Rachau laborer, Gregg Twp.
Jesse Shaffer, laborer, Walker Twp.
Edward Steel, farmer, Huston Twp.
J. W. Stine, burgess, Philipsburg
C. W. Swartz, merchant, Potter Twp.
Michael Spicher, gentleman, Spring Twp.
Harry Sayers, miner, Snow Shoe Twp.
Levi Simmons, laborer, Bellefonte
Andrew Tobias, butcher, Snow Shoe Twp.
H. E. Truckenmiller, farmer, Spring Twp.
H. J. Tibbens, gentleman, Bellefonte
J. A. Way, farmer, Union Twp.
D. S. Wert, farmer, Haines Twp.
Mark Williams, clerk, Bellefonte
M. C. Walk, farmer, Taylor Twp.
Chas. Wetzell, carpenter, Spring Twp.
Chas, Vindle, shoe maker, Show Shoe

A Record Holstein Cow.

C. E. Erdly of Lewisburg, R. D. 1 possesses a Holstein-Fresian cow which has produced, officially tested, 30 pounds of butter in 7 days. The largest production of milk from this cow for 7 days was 666 pounds, or an average of 95.14 pounds per day. The best day's milking resulted in 100 pounds of milk.

By many who are able to judge this cow is considered the best Holstein-Fresian cow in Central Pennsylvania. At the Union county fair the animal won first premium.

The official test of the cow's milkings were made by Floyd E. Seely, an official inspector, who is connected with State College.

APPLICATIONS FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed Petitions for License in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Centre, and that said applications will be presented to the Court on Saturday, December 18th, 1915. Said License to compute for one year from the first day of April, 1916.

TAVERN LICENSE

W. L. Daggett, Bellefonte, West Ward
Horton S. Ray, Bellefonte, South Ward
James A. Noonan, Bellefonte South Ward
Henry Kline, Bellefonte, South Ward
August Glinz, Bellefonte, South Ward
James W. Runkle, Centre Hall Borough
A. J. Fitzpatrick, Howard Borough
S. S. Brown, Millheim, Borough
Jesse R. Clifford, Philipsburg, First Ward
Joseph Dugan, Sr., Philipsburg, Second Ward
Wm. H. Hindle, Philipsburg, Second Ward
Kondrat Juschik, Philipsburg, Second Ward
James Passmore, Philipsburg, Second Ward
Samuel Kough, Philipsburg, Second Ward
Samuel Rogers, Philipsburg, Second Ward
Wm. M. Bowser, Philipsburg, Second Ward
Grebe Bros. & Crago, Philipsburg, Second Ward
Lawrence Redding, Snow Shoe Borough
S. T. Hepburn, Snow Shoe Borough
Adam W. Rokenbrod, Gregg Township, Spring Mills.
Clarence E. Long, Miles Township, Rebersburg
James M. Moyer, Potter Township Potters Mills
Edward Royer, Potter Township, Old Fort
Lewis E Stover, Penn Township, Coburn
J. B. Deagan, Rush Township, Sandy Ridge
George W. Ricketts, Rush Township, Cassanova
John M. Kachik, Snow Shoe Township, Clarence
Frank Kohlbecker, Boggs Township, Centra City

WHOLESALE LIQUOR LICENSE.

John N. Bauer, Bellefonte Borough, South Ward
Orin Vail, Philipsburg Borough, Second Ward
George Parks, Philipsburg Borough, Second Ward
James Black, Philipsburg Borough, Second Ward
Lawrence Nugent, Rush Township, Cassanova
John Boyce, Snow Shoe Township, Clarence

BREWERS LICENSE.

Philipsburg Brewing Co., Philipsburg, Second Ward.

D. R. FOREMAN,
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Sale Register

FRIDAY, MARCH 10TH, at ten o'clock.—Maynard Mecker, 2 1-2 miles east of Centre Hall, on the Brush Valley road, will sell horses, cattle, farm implements, and household goods. This will be a clean-up sale.

MONDAY, MARCH 20TH, ten o'clock a. m.—D. Geiss Wagner, one mile west of Tusseyville will sell farm stock and implements. This will be a clean sale of everything.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, ten o'clock, one mile south of Spring Mills.—Farm stock and implements, by E. C. Harter. This will be a clean up sale.

FRIDAY, MARCH 24TH—T. F. Royer, at Sprucetown church, will sell lot of live stock.

THE MARKETS.

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Eggs	.33
Lard	.10

PORTLAND SLEIGH FOR SALE.—Portland sleigh, in first-class shape, is offered for sale by MRS. EMMA BREON, Centre Hall.

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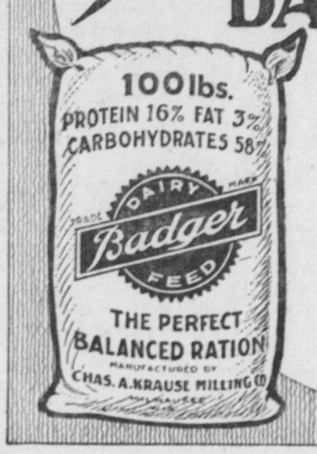

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KEYSTONE STATE IN SHORT ORDER

Latest News Happenings Gathered From Here and There.

TOLD IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

Fire destroyed the plant of the Slatington Umbrella Company, entailing a loss of nearly six thousand dollars.

Owing to the scarcity of coal cars on the Reading Railway in the Scranton region, many collieries were compelled to suspend operation for a day.

Joseph Stancavick was swept fifty feet down a chute at the Susquehanna Coal Company's Cameron Colliery by a run of coal and probably will die.

Joe Remanuski, of Ernest, was killed when pushed backward from a porch, it is alleged. He fell twelve feet, breaking his neck. Two men have been arrested.

Joseph A. Berrier, chief clerk of the Board of Censors, caused the arrest of eight motion picture men of Scranton on the charge of showing pictures not bearing the stamp of the board.

Mrs. William Gordon was burned to death and four other persons were injured, two probably fatally, by a fire which for a time threatened to destroy the Borough of Wesleyville, four miles east of Erie.

A revival is in progress in the Schuylkill county jail and scores are hitting the trail. Charles Carpenter, a Quaker evangelist, of Brooklyn, is being assisted by Warden James Walton and Major H. D. Hainley.

Vasile Mantaen, who was held for Court on the charge that he had murdered his sweetheart, Mrs. Mabel Van Loan, hanged himself with his belt in his cell in Erie county jail. Mantaen was alleged to have shot the woman after a quarrel a month ago.

William B. Palmer, a real estate broker, member of the Clifton Heights Fire Protective Association, was run over by a hose cart while running to a fire. The wheels passed over Palmer's legs, causing severe contusions and lacerations.

At a meeting of the Board of Management of the Y. W. C. A. of Reading, Miss Mabel Fowler, of Wilmington, Del., was elected to the position of general secretary, which had been vacant about six months. Miss Fowler formerly was general secretary of the Wilmington Y. W. C. A.

J. H. M. Andrews, of Philadelphia, has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State College. Mr. Andrews was graduated from the college with the class of '98, and has been chosen an alumni representative, filling the vacancy created by the death of James E. Quigley, of Pittsburgh. Mr. Andrews is engineer of distribution for the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.

Burned to a crisp, the bodies of two fiiris, five and seven years old, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Ostrom, were found in the remains of their bed at the Ostrom home, Pittston, following a fire in the double dwelling, part of which the family occupied. The fire started in the section of the house occupied by the family of Peter Poplar when the parents of the Ostrom children were visiting friends.

A difference of opinion as to the propriety of keeping pigs in pens near homes likely will cause a division of Port Carbon Borough. Police Chief Robert F. Jones notified residents of Schoentown, an outlying section of Port Carbon, that raising pigs within the borough limits no longer would be tolerated. Many families in Schoentown raise their own pork and are so incensed at the order that counsel was engaged to have Schoentown taken out of Port Carbon and annexed to Norwegian Township.

Christmas clubs in the Pottsville section will distribute $600,000 to members this week. This is the amount with interest saved during the last year. The Schuylkill Trust Company of Pottsville, has $130,000 of this money which will be distributed to 4,900 members. At Frackville, Schuylkill, Haven, Tamaqua, Cressona and mining towns in the northern part of Schuylkill county, proportionately large amounts have been saved. These savings will give an impetus to business during the Christmas season.

Reports from the Connellsville coke region show that, while 31,700 ovens are in operation, with a rated capacity of 460,000 tons per week, production was only 433,000 tons. This, the operators say, was due to the insufficiency and inefficiency of labor. Plant managers are aiming to keep their operations at six days a week but many ovens continue to be lost because workmen fail to report regularly for duty. Two hundred ovens were added to the active list this week.

HUNTERS URGED TO PROTECT HEALTH

Dixon Calls On Sportsmen To Look After Waste In Forest Camps. Calls Attention To Law.

Harrisburg.—Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, State Commissioner of Health, called upon the hunters of Pennsylvania to take steps to protect the public health while they are in the woods after deer next month. It is estimated that about 7,000 persons will go deer hunting on State lands alone, and the commissioner has sent this letter to every one receiving a State permit, asking them to take care of waste at camps, so that streams may not be polluted.

The commissioner's letter is as follows:

"I note that you have been granted a permit by the State Forestry Department to erect a camp within a State forest reservation. In this connection I wish to call your attention to Rule 3, of the regulations printed on the back of your permit, which stipulates that 'springs and streams must not be contaminated.'

"This rule is inserted to emphasize the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly approved April 22, 1905, which prohibits the discharge of any sewage into State waters. This law was made necessary because the discharge of sewage from camps, private homes and publicly and privately owned sewer systems, not only caused obnoxious conditions, but largely was responsible for the spread of various forms of water-borne disease by the pollution of streams used as sources of public or private water supply. Among these forms of disease which cause the death of thousands of our citizens annually may be mentioned typhoid fever and epidemic dysentery.

"In order to comply with the provisions of this law, it is necessary that all sewage from your camp be destroyed in a sanitary and safe method and not discharged into a stream or left on the ground. Garbage also should be included with sewage. You probably will find that the best method of disposal will be by burying. The pit for garbage and sewage should be at least two hundred feet from any well, spring or stream and should be on level or only gently sloping ground. The accumulations in the pit should be covered each day with a thick sprinkling of chlorinated lime or hypochlorite of lime (bleach), and a layer of earth not less than three inches in thickness. When the deposits in the pit have accumulated to within eighteen inches of the surface of the ground, the dirt should be replaced and a new pit dug.

"When you abandon the camp, you must be sure that all the pits are refilled with earth and any excess neatly banked or spread over the top."

State Will Guard Munition Plants.

Every plant in Pennsylvania manufacturing explosives, shells or other munitions of war, now is under special inspection by State inspectors. Reports on conditions in every plant have been made regularly for the last year and a half, but recently steps have been taken to improve the safety arrangements and to avoid as far as possible the accidents which statistics sent to the Capitol have shown probably are due to the "speeding up" of plants on war orders or the careless handling of dangerous substances.

The despatch of two of the experts from the Department of Labor and Industry to the Bethlehem Steel Works, is only part of the State campaign, as every works manufacturing munitions is to be visited by experts and supervisors in addition to the regular inspectors, and the preventive work organized as far as possible. The plan of the State officials is to insist upon strict inspection and rigid compliance with the regulations of the factory inspection, but to go beyond that by asking the co-operation of employes in making conditions safe.

Safety Devices Lessen Liability.

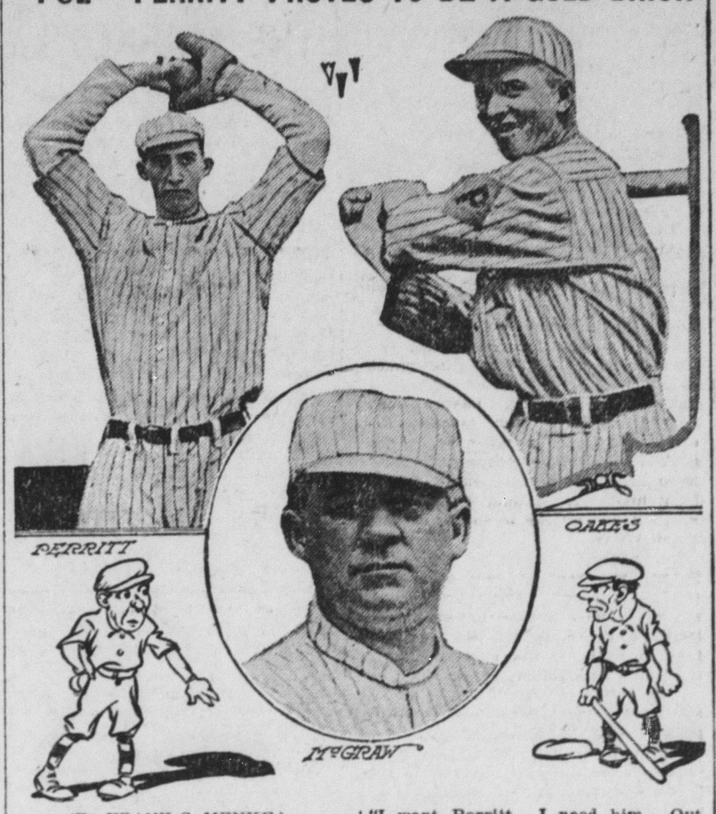
"Safety devices and precautions in an employer's plant reduce compensation liability. The more safeguards in a plant of an employer, the cheaper will be that employer's insurance. The less an employer must pay for insurance, the lower will be his manufacturing cost," is the warning given in Bulletin No. 1, of the State Workmen's Compensation Commission, just issued.

The bulletin also states that the fundamental principle of compensation "is that the cost of industrial accidents should be added to the selling cost of the product and be distributed among the consumers," and that "personal loss of the employe is as legitimately an element of the fair money cost of the production of the commodity as are expenditures for raw material for machinery or wages."

Validity Of Public Service Act Upheld.

The Dauphin County Court in a brief opinion refused to grant a preliminary injunction restraining the Public Service Commission from passing on the contract for street lightning between the City of Williamsport and the Lycoming Edison Company. More important than the matter involved is the intimation of the Court that if the case is carried farther the constitutionality of the Public Service law, which is attacked in the petition, filed by Abraham Fisher, a resident of Williamsport, will be upheld.

"POL" PERRITT PROVES TO BE A GOLD BRICK



(By FRANK G. MENKE.)

New York.—The country person who bought a gold brick didn't feel half as badly after he discovered his error as Jawn McGraw does these days whenever he thinks about that "Pol" Perritt deal.

Jawn got a gold brick in "Pol"—which is bad enough. But the worst part of it, from the McGrawian viewpoint, is that Jawn spent hundreds of dollars and many anxious hours in trying to keep "Reb" Oakes, the manager of the Pittsburgh Feds, from outbidding Jawn for the gold brick.

This is the yarn:

Perritt used to pitch for the Saint Looie team and Jawn decided that he'd do a heap better in a Giant uniform. So at the end of the 1914 season Jawn entered into negotiations with Miller Huggins, the "David Harum" of baseball, and Miller lived up to his nickname by letting Jawn have "Pol" for a considerable bit of booty.

Well, springtime came in due course, but "Pol" didn't come to the Giants. Instead, "Pol" began flirting outrageously with the Feds. Oakes wanted him. He asked "Pol" how much Jawn wanted to pay him and "Pol" told him.

"I'll boost that total $1,000 per season," said Oakes.

"Oh, very well—I'm yourn," quoth "Pol."

"Pol" left his home for the purpose of reporting to the Pittsburgh Feds. In the meantime, Jawn McGraw began to wonder why "Pol" didn't put in an appearance at the Giants' camp. In the nick of time, as the dime novels put it, Jawn learned that "Pol" had been quite untrue to him—that he had been lured away by Federal coin.

"Go thou and head him off," wired Jawn to Dick Kinsella, the Giant ivory hunter, who was then in Mississippi. "I want Perritt. I need him. Outbid the Feds."

Kinsella jumped the first rattler after he had learned the Perritt route, and headed off "Pol" somewhere in Georgia.

"Greetings, fair one, greetings," murmured Dick. "C'mon in and have some sarsaparilla or something."

It was a warm day and "Pol" consented.

"Where ya goin'?" asked Dick casual-like after the refreshments had been served.

"Oh, me? I'm goin' to the Pittsburgh Feds' camp. I'm gonna play with them this season," responded "Pol."

"No, you ain't," asserted Dick. "You're gonna play with the Giants."

"I ain't not," remarked "Pol." "I was figgerin' on doin' that a while ago, but I changed my mind. I gotta right to change my mind when the other fellows offer me more money."

"How much did they offer you?" queried Dick.

"Pol" told him.

"Well, I'll beat that," said Dick. And right then and there Dick is reported to have quoted "Pol" a salary of $9,000 per year under a three-year contract.

Perritt became a Giant at a reported salary of $9,000 a year, and this is what he did in 1915 to earn it: He worked 35 games and won but 12. He was knocked out of the box so often that every time he entered it the betting was 2 to 1 that he wouldn't last through the game. He pitched a brand of baseball so weird that it became a joke around the circuit.

That's enough to make Jawn sorrowful, but the sadness increases when he recalls that he must keep "Pol" for two years longer—and pay him $9,000 for each of these years.

And, in the meantime—

"Reb" Oakes is patting himself on his left shoulder blade.

HARRY HOOPER SOLD FOR $25

Showed as Much Semblance to Ball Player as One Is Apt to Find in Barrel of Spareribs.

How much would you figure Harry Hooper is worth to the Red Sox? Well, there was a time when title to Hooper's person changed hands for the munificent sum of $25.

Bill Curtin, who bossed the Sacramento club some years back, was one

Harry Hooper.

of the parties to the transaction, and the other was McMenomy, who was directing genius of the Oakland club.

Hooper belonged to Oakland at this particular time, and McMenomy discovered about as much resemblance to a ball player in him as one is apt to find in a barrel of spareribs.

He was on the point of releasing the future world's series star when Curtin heard about it. "No, don't do it," said Bill. "Sell him to me. I'll give you $25 for him."

The deal was made, and Hooper started on the road to fame. The world's series stuff must have been nice reading to McMenomy.

TY COBB RAPS FOOTBALL

"If football was a daily attraction it would last about a week," said Ty Cobb, the American league star, after witnessing a game between Georgia Tech and North Carolina.

"Its brutality, if nothing else, would kill it. Saturday afternoon there were several boys hurt and put out of the game. This might attract for a day, but it would not appeal to America long. And the spectators had only a vague idea of what was happening. It was not the easy game to follow like baseball."

Bert Niehoff's Good Luck.

Bert Niehoff of the Phillies, although only able to get one hit in the big series, is glad he didn't listen to Fielder Jones last spring, and at the same time he is glad the Terrier leader talked to him. When Jones interviewed Bert, the Cincinnati club immediately got into action and traded him to Pat Moran. A share in the world's series followed.

Plank Wants Two More Seasons.

Eddie Plank, who gained the name of "Evergreen Eddie," because of his good work during the last summer, wants to last two more seasons in baseball. He intends to show Connie Mack that he isn't through, as the Athletics' leader stated when handing the southpaw his release.

New Athletic Field.

The University of North Carolina's new athletic field cost $30,000, and is rapidly nearing completion.

FINN RUNNER NEAR END

Hannes Kolehmainen Is Showing Signs of Going Back.

Hero of Stockholm Olympiad Failing to Display Old-Time Form Because He Is Too Much Engaged in Business to Train.

Is Hannes Kolehmainen slipping? That is the question that is agitating amateur track circles at present and there are as many opinions as trainers, runners and experts who can crowd into the discussions. It is a fact that the great Finn distance runner has been showing very poorly in his recent races, and in his last two endeavors he has stopped and left the track before the finish, a most unusual proceeding for the hero of the Stockholm Olympiad.

There is a day in every runner's career when he is absolutely at his best, and in the Kolehmainen case this day was the one in July, 1912, on which Hannes and the lamented Jean Bouin met at 5,000 meters in the Stockholm stadium. The wonderful Finn may train forever, but he'll never be the runner he was on that day, or, better yet, those ten days of Sweden's great Olympic festival. In that wonderful duel of speed and grit with Bouin, Koly passed the three miles in 14:09. Hannes will never equal these figures again; therefore, it may be truthfully stated that he's not as good on the track as he once was.

Some eastern experts are holding that Kolehmainen is failing to show

Hannes Kolehmainen.

his old-time form because he has been too much engaged in business to train properly, because he has attempted to lengthen his natural stride of late, and because he is growing older and stiffer in the joints. It is also reported that Cupid is claiming some of his attention and interfering with his training.

The Finn's efforts to lengthen his stride were first noticeable in the 10-mile A. A. U. championship last fall, and the longer steps have resulted in the loss of the tireless rhythm that marked his Olympic running. It is certain that the new idea has not done him any good. Lawson Robertson, his trainer, admits that Koly is losing form in the two-mile distances, but insists that he is still as good as ever when it comes to taking off the five-mile.

New Track at Weequahic.

Work has been started on the new athletic track at Weequahic park, just outside of Newark, N. J., where the national track and field championships will be contested next summer. When completed the field will be one of the most complete of its kind in the country, and will have a quarter-mile cinder path that will have no superior. The field will be laid inside the trotting track and every point of the quarter-mile track will be within view of the spectators. A steel grandstand will seat 10,000. There will be a 220-yard straightaway, three jumping pits, for the running high, running broad and hop, step and jump events, and special circles for all the weight events.

Pat Moran's Predecessors.

The men who preceded Pat Moran as managers of the Phillies include eminent figures in the national game's development. The list is Bob Ferguson, Harry Wright, Arthur Irwin, William Shettsline, George Stallings, Hugh Jennings, Chief Zimmer, Hugh Duffy, Billy Murray and Charles Dooin.

Hall Wins Titular Trophy.

Walter Merrill Hall, former middle states titleholder, won the championship of the Hamilton Grange Lawn Tennis club for the third successive time, and thereby became permanent owner of the titular trophy. He defeated James S. O'Neal, a former Columbia pitcher, in three straight sets, 6-4, 6-2, 8-6.

Browns Sign Cleveland Boy.

The Browns have signed Louis Crowley, the big right-handed pitcher of the champion White Auto team from Cleveland. Crowley pitched his team to victory last summer and is said to be a real wonder.

PANIC CAUSED BY WARNING SHOT

Submarine Saves Many From a Watery Grave.

STEAMER ALLOWED TO GO ON.

Thrilling Story Told By Mrs. Egan, Who Was a Passenger On the British Steamer Barulos Which Was Halted By a Turkish Submarine Commanded By a German Officer In the Mediterranean—Most of Those On Board Were Orientals and Greeks—When Shot Was Heard Passengers Became Panicky—250 Saved.

New York.—A Turkish submarine stopped the British passenger ship Barulos in the Mediterranean and after 25 persons had been drowned assisted in rescuing many of the 250 passengers who had gone overboard in a panic, according to Eleanor Frankhn Egan, an eye-witness, who arrived here on the steamship New York.

The Barulos, according to Mrs. Egan, who is a writer, returning from a six months' trip through Southern Europe, left Piraeus for Alexandria on October 2. Although the ship flew the British flag, her crew was Greek, the passengers, a majority third-class, being chiefly Greeks and Orientals. When about five hours south of Crete the ship picked up three boats containing the crew of the British steamship Sailor Prince, which had been sunk by a submarine a few hours previous.

The Barulos, Mrs. Egan said, carried only four lifeboats, each with a capacity for 30 people. The picking up of the crew of the Sailor Prince created a feeling of excitement which was at fever heat, when suddenly a submarine came to the surface about two miles distant and fired a shot over the Barulos, evidently as a signal for her to stop.

In Wild Panic.

"Instantly a wild panic broke loose," said Mrs. Egan. "The four lifeboats of the Barulos were resting in their chocks, while swung alongside were the two boats in which the men from the Sailor Prince had made their escape.

"Led by the crew and the fireroom force, the passengers rushed for the boats. Women, unable to get to the boats, threw their children into the sea and jumped after them. Frightened sailors cut the ropes holding the small boats, and when the latter crashed into the water three of the six were swamped and emptied of their human loads.

"I was at the rail when the submarine appeared, and I started back toward the stairs leading below, with the idea of helping to quell the panic. I was caught in the rush and literally forced over the side into the sea. I had a hard time to keep above the water, my difficulties being aggravated by the struggles of others trying to catch hold of me.

"It seemed that I had no sooner struck the water than the submarine appeared under the bow of our ship. On her deck I saw a number of men with an officer, whom I took to be an Austrian. The submersible had her collapsible lifeboat out and the submarine crew were pulling people out of the water onto her deck.

"The officer was holding up his hands shouting to the people in the water to be calm. I heard him say in perfect English:

"'For God's sake, go back to your ship, we are not murderers.'"

"LIFE BOATS NOT STRUCK."

More Detail On Ancona Disaster From Ambassador Page.

Washington.—Ambassador Page, at Rome, forwarded to the State Department further fragmentary reports on the torpedoing of the Italian liner Ancona.

He transmitted the statements of the liner's captain and first officer, who declared that while the Ancona at first made efforts to escape, she halted on being shelled. The firing did not cease after the Ancona came to a stop, he said, shells striking the ship while passengers were being lowered into lifeboats. None of the shells struck the lifeboats.

TOBACCO BAN LIFTED.

England Will Let Us Ship To Neutral Nations.

Washington. — Great Britain has yielded to the American representations for removal of all restrictions on the shipment of tobacco to neutral countries. Word of this reached here from the American Embassy at London. The Netherlands Government also has removed similar restrictions.

CARRANZISTAS EXECUTED.

New Rulers Of Mexico Punish Own Men For Looting.

Nogales.—Word was received here that seven men were executed at sundown at Nogales, Sonora, by the Carranza authorities for looting. They included a Carranza captain and three soldiers.

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Misunderstood.

The Customer—See here, these eggs you sold me aren't fit to eat.

The Market Man—Certainly not. Why didn't you say you wanted eating eggs? I thought you wanted eggs to lend the neighbors.—Judge.

She Always Has It.

Little Lemuel—Say, paw, are all the words in the dictionary?

Paw—No, I guess not, son. Every little while a new word comes into use.

Little Lemuel—Then what is the very last word, paw?

Paw—I don't know, son. Go and ask your mother.—Indianapolis News.

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FATTEN BY CRAMMING

Machine Method Is Gaining Rapidly in Popularity.

Small Force-Pump Is Operated by Means of Lever Worked by Foot—Amount of Food Given Fowls Varies With Size of Crop.

(By G. A. BELL.)

For the best results in fattening poultry for market a machine is essential, especially for the last ten days, for otherwise the birds will not eat nearly so much as they can digest and assimilate. A cramming machine and its operation is described as follows: A reservoir under which is placed a small force-pump operated by means of a lever worked by foot is placed on a tripod. A tube is fixed to one end of the pump, through which the feed passes when the lever rod is lowered. This tube is of rubber or metal. If rubber, it may have a metal point. Metal tubes are more easily kept clean. The feed is placed in the reservoir, and is made into the consistency of thick cream.

There are several ways of holding the bird, but the following will be found simple and effective: Fold the wings and grip the bird firmly either between the right elbow and side of the body, as shown in the illustration, or between the left elbow and the body, whichever is more convenient. The head is grasped in the left hand, the first finger being placed in the

Cramming Machine in Operation.

mouth to keep it open. The tube is placed in the mouth and the bird is gently drawn on until the end of the tube reaches the crop, the neck being elongated as much as possible. The lever bar is gently lowered by the foot and the food is thus forced into the crop. One hand is kept on the crop and as soon as it is sufficiently full the foot is removed from the lever and the bird is gently removed.

The operator soon learns to know when the crop is full. No stated amount that should be fed to an individual can be given, for the quantity varies with the size of the crop.

Great care should be taken in preparing the feed to see that there are no lumps, for the tube is small and easily becomes blocked.

FERMENTED BRAN IS UNSAFE

French Experimenters Find That When Stored in Heap During Winter Months It Ferments.

Bran when stored in bulk sometimes ferments, so that it causes digestive trouble when fed to animals. French experimenters a year or two ago found that when bran was stored in a heap for four or five months during the winter it tended to form into lumps on the outside of the heap, and on the inside the lumps became darkened, and in some cases black.

These experimenters, from analyses of different types of bran, thought that they could determine bran fit for use by what is known as the acidity test.

Bran which, according to this test, contains less than 15 per cent of acid is O. K. That which contains from 15 to 30 per cent of acid is safe to use, but it soon becomes unsafe. That which contains more than 30 per cent of acid is considered unfit for food.—Wallace's Farmer.

HOW TO PICK GOOD "FEEDER"

To Make Profitable Gains in Feed Lot, Steers Must Possess Beef Characteristics in Make-Up.

(By JOHN L. TORMEY, Wisconsin Experiment Station.)

Steers, if they are to make profitable gains in the feed lot, must have beef characteristics—a wide, strong back and a large heart girth.

They must have a strong frame and plenty of room for the vital organs, for an animal with a weak constitution cannot hold up through the feeding season.

A wide head and muzzle usually indicates good feeding qualities.

Short legs, heavy hind quarters and arched ribs are essential to the feeding animal.

The skin should be reasonably thick, soft, and covered with a heavy coat of hair.

The animal should have a straight back and low set appearance, due to the depth of the body and short legs.

Regularity Is Necessary.

Milking should always be done in such a way as to give the cow greatest satisfaction. Regularity is therefore necessary in dairy work. Frequently changing hours of milking or feeding interferes very much with the milk flow.

RAISE A FEW DRAFT HORSES

Plenty of Pasture and Access to Good Stallion Are Essential—Good Breeding Necessary.

(By D. C. CAMPBELL, Kansas Experiment Station.)

There is nothing more profitable to the average farmer than the raising of a few good draft horses, provided he has plenty of pasture and access to a good stallion.

If a good stallion is not standing for service in a community, the man who has at least five or six good farm mares can afford to own his own stallion and use him with work horses. A coming two-year-old stallion can be bought for approximately $100, and taken in hand at this age, he makes an excellent work horse. In fact, a stallion is better for having been worked. He is harder, more docile, and makes a good work horse. If the stallion is worked alongside a bred mare there will be no trouble in handling him. He should be made to earn his keep and he will be the better therefor.

The raising of draft horses is different from that of any other live stock on the farm. Important factors are good food and attention. Good breeding gives the possibilities, but good breeding is necessary to bring this out to its fullest extent.

It is better for the man of limited means to raise horses only as a by-product, because the exclusive raising of draft horses for market requires considerable capital. The returns at first are slow, for draft horses must be six years old before they are ready for market. The man who has other cash crops to meet his expenses can afford to wait for the returns from his young draft horses.

SUITABLE PLACE FOR CREAM

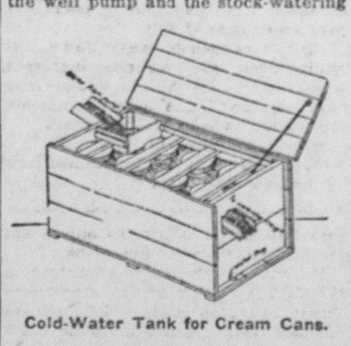
Arrangement Shown in Illustration Answers Purpose Quite Well—Little Souring Results.

(By CARL E. LEE.)

Most farmers would deliver a better grade of cream if they had a suitable place for keeping it until it is delivered. No one should attempt to keep the cream in the cellar or in a large tank of water where the daily pumping is not sufficient to keep it cool. If a suitable place cannot be built in a well-constructed milkhouse the following arrangement answers the purpose quite well.

Caring for the cream at the proper time by any of the methods given below will result in very little souring at the end of two days.

Make a small watertight box of two-inch material and of sufficient size to hold all the cream cans necessary in handling the cream. This box should have a tight-fitting cover, and be divided into sections by means of rods which will prevent single cans from upsetting when left alone in the tank. The best place for this tank is in the milkhouse. It may be placed between the well pump and the stock-watering



Cold-Water Tank for Cream Cans.

tank, and in that case another box or small house should be built over it for protection. All the water pumped for the stock should flow through this tank, the inlet discharging near the bottom, which will force all the warm water out first. The overflow pipe should have one-half inch larger diameter than the inlet in order that the water may be freely carried off. The water in the tank should be of sufficient depth to immerse the cans within two inches of the top.

GOOD TREATMENT FOR SHEEP

Real Value of Animal Is in Wool, Lambs and Mutton—Weed Destruction Is Only Incidental.

It is often argued that sheep should be kept by farmers because they live in lean pastures and are useful in ridding the fields of weeds, getting much of their living from what other stock will not eat and that the farm is much better rid of. That is all true, but that should not be the main reason for keeping sheep. In fact, weed destruction should be only an incident.

The value of the sheep is in wool, lambs and mutton. To do their best in these lines, sheep need and should have as good treatment as other domestic animals.

Sheep may live on pastures that would not sustain horses or cattle, but they will not do their best on such pastures. They must eat and thus destroy weeds and even sprouts and brambles, that other stock would not touch, but such growths do not make their best feed.

Louse Powder.

A good, cheap and effective louse powder is made by adding a mixture of one part crude carbolic acid and three parts gasoline to plaster of paris, all that the powder will blot up. When the plaster is dry pulverize it and store in tight cans. Another effective remedy is to rub a piece of blue ointment, the size of a pea, well into the skin just beneath the vent.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 Durum, $1.12¾ f o b New York; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.09¾, and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $1.12 c i f Buffalo.

Corn—Spot, steady; No. 2 yellow, 75¼c prompt.

Oats—Spot, firmer; No. 3 white, 41¾@42¼c.

Butter—Creamery, extras (92 score), 31½@32c; creamery (higher scoring), 32½@33c; firsts, 27½@30c; seconds, 25@27c.

Eggs—Fresh-gathered, extra fine, 43@44c; extra firsts, 40@42c; firsts, 35@39c; seconds, 28@34c; nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 58@62c; nearby hennery, browns, 38@46c.

Cheese—State, whole milk, flats, held, specials, 16¼c; do, average fancy, 15¾@16c; do, current make, specials, 15¾@16c; do, average fancy, 15½c.

Dressed Poultry—Firm; Western fresh chickens, barrels, 15@23c; fresh fowls, iced, 12@17c; frozen turkeys, 19@23c. Live, steady; Western chickens, 15c; fowls, 13½@15c; turkeys, 18@20.

PHILADELPHIA. — Wheat — Car lots, in export, No. 2 red Western, spot and November, $1.16½@1.17; do do, No. 2 Southern red, $1.12@1.14; steamer No. 2 red, $1.10½@1.12½; do do, No. 3 red, $1.10½@1.12½; rejected A, $1.10@1.11½; do do, rejected B, $1.08@1.10.

Corn—Car lots, for local trade, as to location, Western, No. 2 yellow, 74½@75½c; do do, Western, steamer, yellow, 73½@74½c; do do, Western, No. 3 yellow, 72½@73½; Delaware, yellow, 72@73c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 45@46c; standard white, 44@45c; No. 3 white, 40½@41c; No. 4 white, 40@40½c; sample, 36@38c; purified oats, graded, 41@42c.

Butter — Western, solid packed creamery, fancy, special, 33½c; extras, 31½c; extra firsts, 30c; firsts, 29c; seconds, 26@28c; ladle-packed, 21@22c; nearby prints, fancy, 35c; average extra, 33@34c; do do, firsts, 29@31c; do do, seconds, 26@28c; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 39@42c.

Eggs—Nearby extras, 42c per dozen; nearby firsts, $11.70 per standard case; nearby current receipts, $11.10 per case; Western, extra firsts, $11.70 per case; do do, firsts, $10.00. Refrigerator eggs, fancy, $7.50 per case; do, firsts, $7.20 per case; do, seconds, $6.60@6.90 per case; fancy selected, candled eggs, jobbing at 44@46c per dozen.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14@16c, according to size and quality; old roosters, 11@12c; spring chickens, 14@16c, according to quality; ducks, as to size and quality, 13@16c; large sizes preferred; turkeys, 20c; pigeons, old, per pair, 18@20c; do do, young, per pair, 17@18c.

BALTIMORE. — Wheat — No. 2 red spot and November, 113½c; December, 113½; No. 2 red Western spot and November, 117½ nominal.

Corn—Year, 66c; January, 65½.

Oats—No. 3 white, 41½@42c; No. 4 do, 37@38, as to location.

Rye—No. 2 Western, $1.01@1.02; No. 3 do, 97@98c; No. 4 do, 96@97; bag lots, as to quality and condition, 95@98.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $20.50; No. 2 do, $18.50@19; No. 3 do, $15@17; light clover mixed, $18.50@19; No. 1 do, do, $18; No. 2 do, do, $14@17; choice clover, nominal, $17@17.50; No. 1 do, do, $15@17; No. 2 do, do, $13@15; No. 3 do, do, $12@13; sample hay, as to kind, quality and condition, $12@15; no grade hay, $6@11.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 35c; Western firsts, 35; West Virginia firsts, 34; Southern firsts, 33. Recrated or rehandled eggs, ½c higher.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, 4 lbs and over, 15c; do, small to medium, 13@14; old roosters, 10; spring, smooth, fat, 15@16; do, rough and poor, 14. Ducks—Young Pekings, 3 lbs and over, 15c; do, puddle, do, 13@14; do, muscovy, do, 14; do, smaller, 12. Geese—Nearby, 14@15c; Western and Southern, 12@14; Kent Island, 16. Turkeys—Young, 8 lbs and over, 19c; do, smaller, 17@18; old, 18; poor and crooked breast, 14@15. Pigeons—Young, per pair, 15@20c; old, per pair, 15@20. Guinea Fowl—Young, 1½ lbs and over, per pair, 45c; do, smaller, per pair, 25@26.

Dressed Poultry—Turkeys—Choice, 20@21c; fair to good, 18@19; rough, and poor, 15. Chickens—Choice, young, 16@17c; old and mixed, 14@16; old roosters, 11. Ducks, 14@16c. Geese—Nearby, 15@16c; Western and Southern, 13@15.

Live Stock

PITTSBURGH, PA.—Cattle—Choice, $8.90@9; prime, $8.50@8.85.

Sheep—Steady; supply light. Prime wethers, $6@6.10; culls and common, $3@4; lambs, $6@9.

Hogs—Steady; receipt, 20 double-decks. Prime heavies, $6.90@7; mediums, $6.75@6.80; heavy Yorkers, $6.70@6.75; light Yorkers, $6.50@6.65; pigs, $6.25@6.50; roughs, $5.75@6.10.

CHICAGO. — Hogs — Bulk, $6.20@6.60; light, $5.80@6.60; mixed, $5.90@6.85; heavy, $6.05@6.85; rough, $6.05@6.25; pigs, $4@5.75.

Cattle—Native beef cattle, $5.80@10.25; cows and heifers, $2.75@8.25; calves, $6@9.75.

Sheep—Wethers, $5.70@6.25; ewes $3.75@5.50; lambs, $6.50@8.90.

SUDDEN DEATH

Caused by Disease of the Kidneys

The close connection which exists between the heart and the kidneys is well known nowadays. As soon as kidneys are diseased, arterial tension is increased and the heart functions are attacked. When the kidneys no longer pour forth waste, uremic poisoning occurs, and the person dies and the cause is often given as heart disease, or disease of brain or lungs.

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Both Unnecessary.

Former Speaker Cannon tells this story of his early impecunious days:

"One of my friends was a struggling physician. Neither fame nor fortune had come to either of us, but we were always hopeful. The years had weighed heavily upon my friend, however, for he soon lost his hair, being quite bald.

"One day I greeted him with a beaming countenance and exclaimed:

"'What do you think, Henry? I have just bought an office safe.'

"'Then, Joe,' said he, with the utmost gravity, 'I shall buy a hairbrush.'"

Husband and Wife Both Saved From Suffering

I wish to tell you the good results myself and husband received from Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. About eleven years ago I had a severe attack of La Grippe and was confined to my bed about eight weeks under the doctor's care. He pronounced my case kidney trouble and rheumatism and not receiving the results from the doctor's treatment I should have received, I decided to try Swamp-Root. After taking several bottles of Swamp-Root I was able to get up and attend to my work. About a year later my husband was affected with a severe attack of kidney trouble and doctored for some time with the doctors and received no benefit. Knowing of the good I had received, he decided to try Swamp-Root. His condition was such that he was confined to his bed and words cannot tell how he suffered, but after taking Swamp-Root he was relieved so he could go on with his work without pain. I wish to heartily recommend Swamp-Root to all persons afflicted with kidney and bladder troubles and you may publish this letter if you wish.

Yours truly,
MRS. A. E. BRIGGS,
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Not Necessary.

"Hello! Is this the telephone company? I'd like to have a telephone installed in my house."

"Very well, madame. Would you like a party wire?"

"No, I think not. We don't expect to entertain very much this winter."

During the war promiscuous discharge of fireworks is prohibited in Great Britain.

A strong-headed man may be weak minded.

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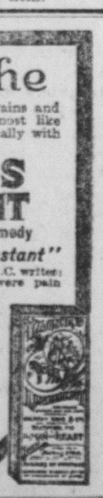

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1915.

Air Line Railway Being Revived.

The Air Line railway, which purposes passing through Boalsburg, Tusseyville and Coburn, on its route from Pittsburgh to New York, is being revived. Following a sheriff's sale in Pittsburgh on October 31st a new company was organized and plans for the new road, which will cost $27,000,000, were discussed.

The company is now nominally owned by Edward T. Noble, of the law firm of Evans, Noble & Evans, of Pittsburgh, but in a statement filed with the Pennsylvania public service commission he says that he will convey the property, franchise and rights to the new corporation. Mr. Noble bought the property at the Pittsburgh sale, the company then being known as the New York, Pittsburgh and Chicago Air Line Railroad company.

The route as surveyed passes through Allegheny, Westmoreland, Armstrong, Indiana, Clearfield, Centre, Blair, Mifflin, Union, Snyder, Northumberland, Schuylkill and Lehigh counties.

The road will pass through Pittsburgh, Millvale, Sharpsburg, Aspinwall, Hoboken, Montrose, Verona, Milligantown, Markle, Oklahoma, Apollo, Olivet, West Lebanon, Parkwood, Indiana, Sample Run, Pleasant Valley, Chesterfield, Houtzdale, Dix, Boalsburg, Tusseyville, Synagogue, Sober, Coburn, Glen Iron, Kreamer, Dornsife, Gotshall, Cowen City, Dowdyville, Helfenstein, Mowry, Lsvelle, Ashland, Girardville, Mahanoy Plane, Mahanoy City, Tamaqua, West Penn, Zehners, Jordan valley, Unionville, Siegersville and Allentown. The Allegheny river will be spanned near Pittsburgh.

Counsel for the company points out that it will open new agricultural and mining districts that have been neglected. Most of the line will be through fertile valleys, studded with farms and sections of the bituminous coal fields that now have little railroad facilities.

REBERSBURG

Scott Stover and wife spent the greater part of last week at State College.

Mrs. Monasas Gilbert was called to Mezepps, Union county, to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Mrs. Solomon Peck of Huston circulated a few days among relatives at this place.

After a summer of hard labor our carpenters have returned home to spend the winter with their families.

Dr. and Mrs. Kelley of State College spent a few days the past week at this place at the home of Mrs. Kelley's parents.

Miss Miranda Mowery of Bellefonte, accompanied by William Noll of Pleasant Gap, spent a few days at the home of Samuel Mowery.

This week the post office will be moved into the building which postmaster Curtis Bierly quite recently bought of William Carlin.

One evening last week the five-year old son of Wallace Deabler took suddenly ill and under the successful treatment of Dr. Hardenburg of Millheim his life was saved.

Stone Mill.

Elmer Harshbarger of Georges Valley visited his brother on Monday.

Miss Nellie Bible visited at the James Harshbarger home on Saturday.

Jessie and Bertha Harshbarger visited at the H. E. Grove home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rossman were visitors at the D. C. Rossman home on Wednesday.

James Harshbarger and family spent Sunday at the George Searson home at Linden Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kline of Tusseyville visited James Harshbarger and family on Friday.

Rev. D. S. Kurtz took supper on Thursday evening at the home of Geo. W. Harter.

Miss Viola Harter, who is teaching at State College, spent from Thursday until Saturday under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moyer of Centre Hall and Clarence Grove of Zion spent Sunday at the H. E. Grove home.

Potters Mills

Mrs. William Curry is seriously ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henshal of State College spent a few days with the latter's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blauser of York are visiting the former's uncle, William Blauser.

Quite a number of neighbors and friends gathered at the Armstrong home on Wednesday and donated to them a number of useful articles.

A very interesting sermon was delivered at the Methodist church Sunday and a solo was sung by Miss Sherman of New York, entitled "Jesus Lover of My Soul," which was appreciated by every one present.

Jesse McClenahan, in his Paige car, took Lot, Charles and George Condo, Charles Miller, Frank McKinney, Roy and Boyd Smith to Belleville, Allenville, and Lewistown, one day last week, returning home in the evening.

Aaronsburg.

Mrs. R. Emma Hess spent Thanksgiving Day with her stepdaughter at Knox.

Mrs. W. H. Phillips is spending a few days with friends in Freeburg and Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crouse spent Sunday with the lady's mother, Mrs. Troxell at Winfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stover and children from Penn Hall were over Sunday guests of the former's father, B. F. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harter from Coburn were Sabbath guests of the former's, parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harter.

Miss Mary Foster left for Buffalo, New York, last week, where she will spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Joana Foster.

Rev. and Mrs. Donat and their bright little son Nevin spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Wances near Woodward.

Mrs. Walter Rupp, who was quarantined for diphtheria, is quite well again; her many friends are pleased to hear of her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Sara Leitzel spent Thanksgiving Day with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Tomlinson, at Wolfs Chapel. Dr. and Mrs. Tomlinson from Milton were also present.

Eugene Stover is only fourteen years old but he is a champion hunter, nevertheless. He killed twenty-one rabbits and squirrels, besides much other small game.

Miss Mae Gulsewite spent Sunday in Lewisburg with her friend, Miss Gertrude Russell, and also visited Rev. F. W. Brown, a former Reformed minister in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Vonada and son Harry spent Thanksgiving Day at Centre Oak, where they assisted the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Vonada, in butchering.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stover, who are both employed at State College, enjoyed their Thanksgiving Day dinner at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Daniel Stetters, in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wert and child from Philadelphia are making their annual visit to the former's mother, Mrs. J. J. Feidler. They also were to Akron, Ohio, for a few days visiting Mr. Wert's brother, and family, returning to Aaronsburg on Tuesday.

Saturday afternoon the Wilt brothers—Willard and William—two expert hunters from Franklin, arrived at the home of their cousin, W. A. Gulsewite, to assist him in butchering until December 1st, when they joined the Coburn party in hunting for deer and bear.

PENN HALL

Florence Bartges spent Sunday with her friend, Irma Shook.

Eva Kramer spent a few days at the home of Ralph Shook, in Brush Valley, last week.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Geesey took dinner at the home of Allen Kramer on Sunday.

Ralph Shook and family spent Sunday with his brother, Gross, and family.

Rev. Daniel Ertle and family from Sugar Valley are visiting Mr. Ertle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ertle.

Charles Carter was out hunting on Friday and came home with a wild turkey, weighing ten pounds or more.

Mrs. Alfred Albright and children are spending a few days with Mr. Albright's mother, Mrs. John Albright.

John Albright and mother, accompanied by Mrs. Alfred Albright and children, spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Thomas Stover, below Coburn.

From last week.

Irma Shook spent Sunday with friends in Brush Valley.

John Albright and Mary Weagley spent Wednesday evening at the home of John Crater.

Allen Kramer, who wasn't very well for the past few weeks, is better again.

Earl Bartges and friend, Cora Schrist, of Millheim made a trip to Lewisburg over Sunday.

Mrs. Christie Musser and son are spending some time with Mr. Musser's parents.

Rev. Carls of Madisonburg started revival meeting in the Green Grove church on Wednesday evening of last week.

Alfred Crater, who had been working for Harry Garbrick at Zion for the past three years, is now working for Horace Herring.

FRUITTOWN.

The sale at the Peter Phillips home on Saturday was largely attended.

Blanche Reiber spent Sunday afternoon at the John Bubb home.

Helen Bodtorf of Milroy is spending some time with her parents at this place.

William Phillips of Altoona is spending the hunting season at his home at this place.

Fred Klinefelter, who for the past few months was employed at Yeagertown, is again at home.

Mrs. W. J. Copenhaver and children are visiting for a short time at the T. J. Fleisher home.

George Thomas and lady friend of New York City are spending a short time with the former's parents at this place.

Former Pastor Aids in Good Work.

The following is reprinted from the Berwick Enterprise and will be of interest to Penns Valley people because of the part a former pastor in the Methodist church played in bringing about excellent results at the recent election:

Methodism figured largely in the recent election at Nescopeck. Under the leadership of the church people, only those men were elected to local offices who openly stand for a continuance of a "dry" town. Every local candidate not taking this stand was overwhelmingly defeated. The observance of "Pastor's Day" in the Nescopeck Sunday-school on a recent Sunday netted $102 in cash for the board of stewards. Evangelistic services are now being held, and Pastor G. W. McIlnay is greatly encouraged by the manifest interest. Brother McIlnay and his choir recently conducted the Sunday afternoon religious service at the Berwick Hospital.

Meeting of Corn Club at Spring Mills.

The Centre County Pomona Corn Club will hold a meeting in the Grange Hall at Spring Mills on Monday December 6, at 7:30 p. m. to receive and judge samples of corn and essays according to the rules of club. Every body is invited.

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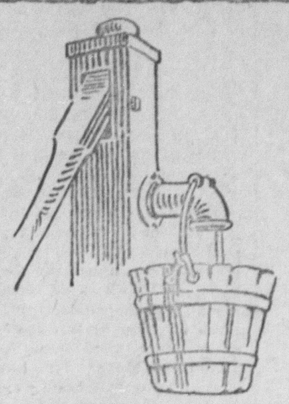

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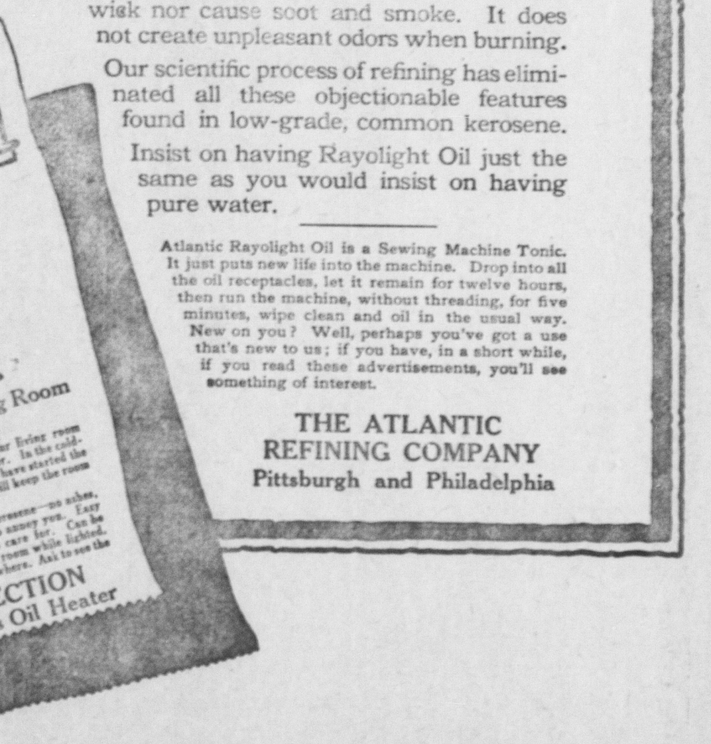
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